THE WEATHER.

Fair in West, local showers in East portion Thursday; warmer in Northeast portion. Friday fair; light West winds, becoming variable.

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MOREHEAD FORCES GAIN THE SADDLE

Butler Alliance Proves Fruitful in Republican Convention at Greensboro.

E. C. DUNCAN OVERTHROWN

Harmonious End of Contest That Promised to Disrupt Party—New Leader Sounds Keynote—Local Option Plans.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Greensboro, N. C., Aug. 10. — The Republican State convention this afternoon named Congressman John Motley Morehead as chairman of the State Executive Committee, by unanimous acclaim, the other candidates, John E. Carl Duncan and Major J. E. Alexander, having withdrawn from the contest after their names had been placed before the convention.

It was a harmonious ending of a contest, which at one time bore evidence of having in it the germ of serious party disruption.

Mr. Morehead's speech of acceptance breathed an intensely progressive and eminently fair spirit. The keynote of his campaign has been the abolition of the former referee system under which the Republican party has been operated with reference to Federal appointments, and that idea was emphasized in his speech of acceptance.

The convention also endorsed and heartily recommended the administration of the retiring State chairman, ex-Judge Spencer B. Adams, a ringing resolution of thanks for his faithfulness and fairness and eminent services being unanimously adopted.

The convention was organized for business by the election of Thomas Settle, of Asheville, as permanent chairman. He received 737 votes to 378 for H. G. Ewart, of Henderson county, and the election was made unanimous. T. J. Harkins, of Asheville, was elected permanent secretary.

Test of Strength.

Greensboro, N. C., Aug. 10.—It was 6:30 this afternoon when the convention elected by acclamation John Motley Morehead for State chairman. E. C. Duncan and J. E. Alexander had been placed in nomination, but were later withdrawn. The only test vote taken was when Tom Settle was elected chairman of the convention, getting 737 votes against 368 votes for Ewart, the Duncan man. The convention at 10 o'clock is working on a platform and nominating State officers.

It is said the local option plank in the platform will cause a hot discussion.

The Congressional convention of the Fifth district will nominate a candidate after the State convention adjourns.

Fully a thousand delegates are here, and the auditorium had to be used to accommodate them. There were hot speeches by Settle, T. J. Hargraves, V. S. Lusk, A. E. Holton and others.

The State ticket named tonight is:

Chief Justice Supreme Court—T. T. Hicks, of Henderson.

Associate Justice—Harry Skinner, of Greenville, and E. W. Timberlake, of Wake Forest.

Corporation Commission—G. M. Hoover, of Thomasville, and J. H. White, of Madison.

The platform which was unanimously adopted, endorsed, and the administration of President Taft and the measures passed by Congress at the last session, the monetary commission and the tariff commission.

A plank declaring for free text books for State public schools and declaring for local self government went through with a whoop. The action relative to the self government means a reopening of the prohibition question in North Carolina, which was voted dry two years ago.

NEW YORK'S ACTING MAYOR.

John Purroy Mitchel, president of the board of aldermen of New York City and acting Mayor, was elected on the fusion or Hearst ticket at the last election. He was to have taken Mayor Gaynor's place while the latter was away and should the Mayor die, will assume the reigns of government until a successor is chosen.

GAYNOR CHEERFUL HAS EVEN CHANCE

New York Mayor Resting Well, But Recovery is Still Uncertain.

HIS ASSAILANT PENITENT

Threats Upon Life of William H. Edwards Causes Rigid Police Investigation—Aftermath of the Great Tragedy.

New York, Aug. 10.—William J. Gaynor, Mayor of New York, lies in St. Mary's hospital tonight with two segments of a split bullet fired yesterday by James J. Gallagher, who sought to assassinate him, still buried in his neck and mouth, but he has shown not one alarming symptom.

It is beyond human power to say whether he will recover, for not even the most renowned specialist can say whether blood poisoning will be the aftermath, but as yet the Mayor's temperature has given no cause for alarm on this score. Every indication is that the wound is healing beautifully.

Bulletins issued today and tonight did not very in their tone of optimism and so cheerful was the patient and so hopeful his attendants that Mrs. Gaynor, after an almost sleepless vigil at the bedside, left the Mayor's side late this afternoon for a 40-minute spin by automobile.

Quartered in a larger and better lighted room in the hospital the Mayor chats pleasantly with those who are allowed to see him and confidently predicts that he will be out in a few days.

The Mayor's highest temperature during the day was 100 3-5. As septicaemia, or blood poisoning, invariably indicates its beginning and spread by a rise in the patient's temperature, the nearly normal standard maintained today was one of the most cheering signs to his physicians. His appetite is good, although his diet is necessarily limited to broths and liquid foods, he has shown great stamina of body and mind and so far as those who conversed with him can learn he is not worrying greatly over the outcome.

One of the extended conferences on the Mayor's condition was held tonight but at its conclusion there was issued merely a brief bulletin and no announcement was made when one would be performed.

Assassin Seems Penitent.

Interest of course centers on the Mayor's condition but Gallagher, now professing a trace of penitence for his deed, commanded further notoriety from his cell in Jersey City this evening. An anonymous letter, vulgarly couched and threatening the life of Street Cleaning Commissioner William H. Edwards, whose powerful blows felled Gallagher to the deck of the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse yesterday, started a perfunctory police investigation, but generally the communication is attributed to a crank.

Although it predicted for "Big Bill" a fate similar to the Mayor's the former football player seemed to regard his chances of life and death as good as ever.

Two young girls, who declared that they overheard an intoxicated policeman indiscretely remark on Monday night that the Mayor would be shot either on his departure for or on his return from Europe, furnished the foundation for another police inquiry. The policeman's number was in possession of Inspector Russell and, while there is little if anything to indicate the existence of an organized plot to take the Mayor's life, the policeman, if the charges of drunkenness prove true, will be tried for intoxication while on duty and with making indecent and incendiary re-

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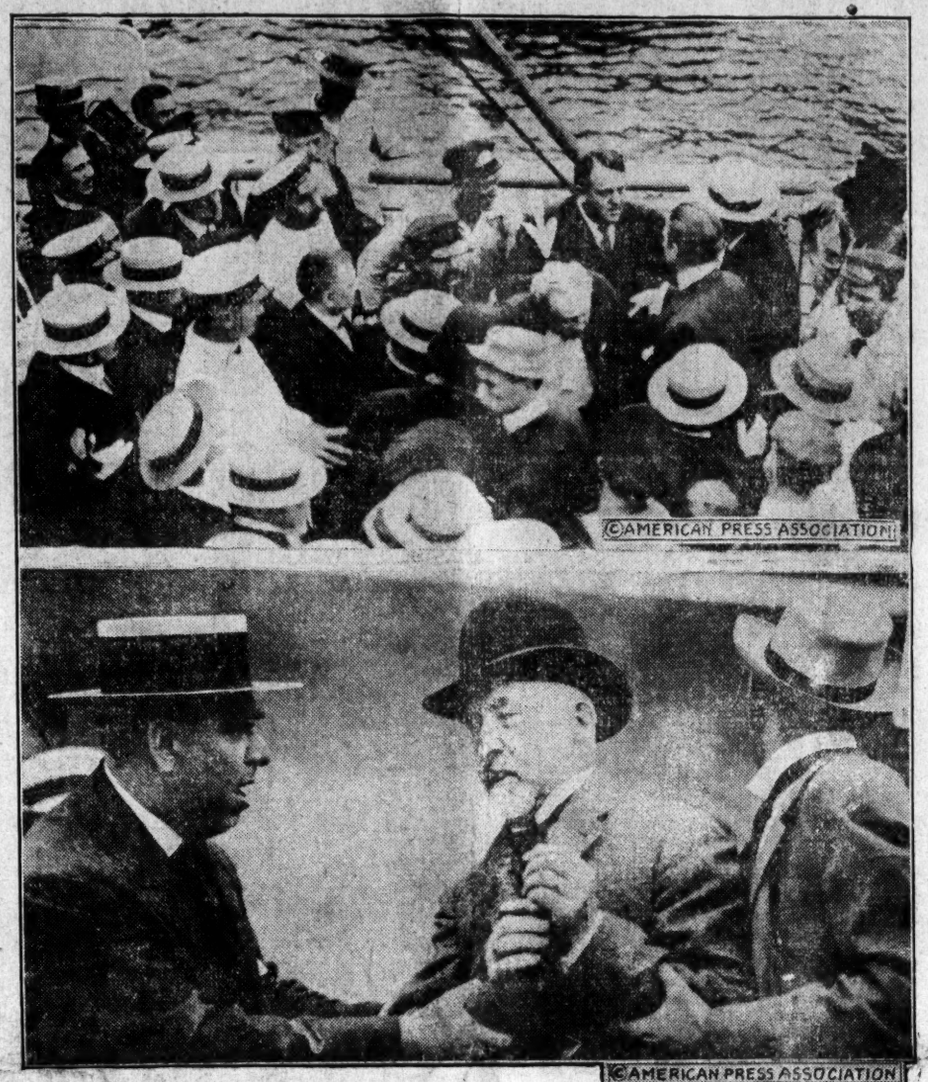
OUTLINES.

Mayor Gaynor was resting comfortably at St. Mary's hospital in New York last night and has an even chance for recovery. He appeared cheerful throughout the day. A report that the life of another New York official had been threatened caused a rigid investigation——The North Carolina Republican State Convention at Greensboro yesterday named John Motley Morehead for State chairman, Duncan having withdrawn when it was seen that Morehead was overwhelmingly in the lead——A number of others were implicated in the Indian land deals in Oklahoma in the testimony at the bribery inquiry yesterday. Congressman Carter was a witness——Walter Brookins, the well known aviator, was dashed to earth from his machine at Asbury Park, N. J., yesterday and was painfully injured——Joe Gans, former champion prize fighter, passed away yesterday at his Baltimore home——New York markets: Money on call easy 1 1-2 to 2 1-2, ruling rate 1 3-4, closing bid 1 1-2, offered at 1 3-4; flour quiet and easier to sell; wheat spot easy, new No. 2 red 1.06 1-2 elevator and 1.07 3-4 f. o. b. No. 1 northern 1.25 5-8 f. o. b. to arrive; corn spot firm, No. 2, 73 3-4 nominal elevator domestic basis to arrive; oats steady, mixed nominal; rosin steady, turpentine quiet; spot cotton closed quiet five points lower, middling uplands 15.95, middling gulf 16.20.

Attempt on Life of Gaynor and Scenes Aboard Steamer



New York, Aug. 10.—When Mayor Gaynor was shot an official photographer of the American Press Association was within a few feet preparing to take a last picture of the executive as he sailed for Europe on a month's vacation. At the time the revolver report rang out the camera was leveled toward the scene, and the lower picture shows the wounded Mayor sinking into the arms of Secretary Benjamin C. Marsh of the committee on congestion of population in New York City. The upper picture shows the crowd with Assailant James J. Gallagher just after he had been picked from the dock, where he was knocked by Street Cleaning Commissioner William Edwards, who stands just behind Gallagher and over whose shoulder the arrow points to the would-be assassin. Note the look of horror on the face of the man assisting to hold the Mayor.

IMPORTANT STEP FOR MASONS

Action of Conclave Establishes Amicable Relations Between Knights of Several Nations—Drills Feature of the Day.

Chicago, Aug. 10.—The resolution unanimously adopted here today, establishing a concordat between Knights Templar governing bodies, is said by Masons to be the most important step taken by the Conclave for many years. The concordat establishes amicable relations between the Knights of England, Ireland, Scotland, Canada and the United States, and is an event which has been crystallizing for many years. Its consummation is said to be the chief object for which the Earl of Euston, pro-grand master of England and Wales, visited the thirty-first triennial conclave.

All the Templars of the world are affiliated with the governing bodies of one or other nations, and today's explanation practically consolidates them into a cohesive whole.

The election of officers for the conclave of 1913 will be taken up tomorrow morning.

There is no decided change in the atmosphere as to the city for the next Conclave.

The numerous candidates for the honor are actively represented, and campaigning will continue until the election is held tomorow.

The competitive drills, second only in interest to the parade of yesterday, began early today, and will last through tomorrow. The prizes will be awarded tomorrow night. Detroit commandery No. 1 was first on the field today. Sixty men in black uniforms, topped with the white plumed chapeau, marched and counter-marched, ending with the sabre salute to the grand stand.

Beausant Commandery No. 8, of Baltimore, was the second on the field, after which these commanderies followed:

Ivanhoe No. 24, Milwaukee; Kansas City No. 10, Oriental No. 31, Kansas City; Raper No. 1, Indianapolis; Mount Olivet No. 12, Wichita; Hanselman No. 16, Cincinnati; Kenosha, Wis., No. 30.

Capt. James B. Gowen, B. E. Ingram and James S. Young, Jr., officers of the United States army, who acted as judges in the drills late today, announced the following scores:

Raper Commandery No. 1, of Indianapolis, won first prize, with 92.3 per cent; Hanselman Commandery No. 16, Cincinnati, 87.3; Oriental No. 31, Kansas City, 87.2; Ivanhoe No. 24, Milwaukee, 85.5; Kenosha, Wis., No. 30, 84.9; Beausant No. 8, Baltimore, 79.9; Mount Olivet, Wichita, Kas., 78.2; Detroit Commandery No. 1, which gave an exhibition drill, was given honorary mention. The first prize is a siver libation fountain and cups, a silver loving cup the second, and a center piece and candelabra the third.

Thousands of visiting Knights and others spent today in sight seeing and other forms of amusement.

J. A. BROWN FOR STATE SENATE

Nominated Yesterday by Senatorial Convention of Twelfth District at Clarkton—Announces His Acceptance.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Clarkton, N. C., Aug. 10.—The Senatorial Convention of the Twelfth district composed of Bladen and Columbus counties, met here today and nominated Hon. J. A. Brown, of Chadbourn, as representative in the State Senate to succeed Hon. O. L. Clark, now one of the contestants for the Democratic nomination for Congress in the Sixth District.

Mr. Brown's nomination was not a reward of any effort of his whatsoever, as he pleaded to the last that home affairs discouraged his activity in politics, but he could not refuse the strong demand made upon him in the interest of party harmony and in a short and well spoken speech of acceptance, declared he would do his utmost to carry the district by the biggest majority ever given a Democrat.

The nomination was practically a Columbus county affair and a full attendance of delegates from this county were in attendance with a spirit of enthusiasm for the two avowed candidates, Jackson Greer and Donald McRackan, but "harmony" seemed to be a word of caution and the nomination is regarded as a most excellent solution of the contest.

With E. F. McCulloch, of Bladen, in the chair, the convention for several hours was a scene of many caucuses and much excitement.

Richmond, Va., Aug. 10.—Bessell McGee, aged seven years, arrived here by train from Little Rock, Ark., today. He wore a tag, stating who he is and whither he was bound. He had traveled the long distance all alone. His parents are dead. He came here to live with an uncle.

Cheaper than staying at home and lots cooler. Take the Seaboard Mountain Special August 23rd for Lenoir, N. C. The heart of the mountains. Call on Mr. Fetter. **

BROOKINS HURT IN FLIGHT

Accident to Well Known Aviator Marred First Day of Asbury Park Meet—Dashed to Earth When Machine Turned Turtle.

Asbury Park, N. J., Aug. 10.—A serious mishap to Walter Brookins, in which the daring Wright aviator was painfully, but not dangerously hurt, marred the opening day of the aviation meet here. Brookins was dashed, stunned to the earth when the machine suddenly turned turtle after he had forced to swerve the airship suddenly to avoid crashing into a crowd of spectators. Seven other persons among whom the machine tumbled were more or less seriously injured.

Brookins was pinned under the wreckage and was only half conscious when friends reached him. An examination showed that his nose was broken and that he had been badly bruised and shaken up, but not seriously hurt.

The mishap was directly due to the thronging of spectators out on the field. Brookins in descending had no room to operate the machine and was driven to make a sudden turn to avoid crashing among the watchers. The tricky wind caught the machine and sent it spinning over backwards.

In the face of the high wind the aviator had made a successful short flight circling the field and then descended in a splendid sweep. As he neared the earth he first saw the crowd in the field near the point where he had intended to descend. To avoid them he swerved the machine sharply and found himself headed straight for the grand stand. Instantly he allowed the machine to drop. The machine in its fall turned over and tumbled amid a small crowd of watchers, mostly boys. One youngster was rushed to a hospital, where it was reported he had sustained a fracture of the skull. Six other youths were less seriously hurt.

THREE BOYS KILLED.

Struck by Fast Express Train in Rhode Island Yesterday.

East Greenwich, R. I., Aug. 10. — Three boys were killed and one injured by an express train bound from Portland for New York, on the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad this afternoon. Parts of the bodies were strewn along the tracks for 200 yards. The boys were playing on the track when struck by the express train. Two of the children killed and the one injured were sons of John H. Straight, a manufacturing jeweler of Providence, and the other boy was named Wood.

CHARGES OF GORE PROVE FRUITFUL

Many Implicated in Indian Land Deals at Inquiry in Oklahoma.

CARTER PRINCIPAL WIENESS

Red Men Learn More About the Proposed Sale of $30,000,000 of Their Land—Part Hamon Played in McMurray Contracts.

McAlester, Okla., Aug. 10.—"Lo," the poor Indian, learned a few more things about the proposed sale of $30,000,000 worth of his land in the hearing before the Congressional Investigation Committee today.

Congressman C. D. Carter, of the Fourth Oklahoma District, who is part Cherokee, testified that at an interview at the home of Richard C. Adams, an attorney at Washington, Adams had said he had an arrangement by which he was to secure five per cent. of the "profits" to be derived from the McMurray contracts.

"He also told me," testified Mr. Carter, "that Congressman B. S. McGuire was in on the deal and would get his share. He also told me that Dr. Wright, a delegate for the Choctaw Indians at Washington with a salary of $6,000 was in on the deal. He also said, 'We've got some others, but he did not mention other names."

"Did Adams say he was going to get five per cent. of all the money J. F. McMurray was to realize on the deal?" asked Chairman Charles H. Burke. "Yes he said he was going to make sure of it, as McMurray had double crossed him at other times, but this time he was going to fix it so he wouldn't lose out, and when McMurray got his ten per cent., or $3,000,000 or whatever it amounted to, he (Adams) was going to get five per cent. of the proceeds.

"I also met Jake L. Hamon at Washington. He told me to go to that old man Gore and get him to withdraw that fool bill of his against the McMurray contracts."

It was Adams to whom the Indians in this State were asked to address telegrams urging President Taft to approve the sale of the lands.

McMurray is the holder of the contracts, by which according to Senator Gore a ten per cent. or $3,000,000 "attorney's fee" would be allowed.

Carter's appearance on the stand followed another day of lively testimony.

E. B. Latham, an attorney of McAlester, related a meeting with McMurray two years ago when McMurray, he said, offered him a present of $10,000,000 if the old tribal contract would "go through."

These contracts were afterward disapproved by President Roosevelt. What the "Present" was for, Latham declared, he never could make out, for he was not asked to support the contracts.

Incidentally the Indians, many of whom were present in the committee room, learned of "Robbers' Roost" a town in the southern part of the State. From "Robbers' Roost" there emerged one day an emissary representing McMurray, who went to a "war council" of Indians to get them to sign the contracts.

About 600 of the Indians signed at that time, testified J. H. Godfrey. They also, he said, signed tax case contracts, by which McMurray was to get $10, "a head" for fighting the taxation of the Indians.

Congressman Carter related meeting Jake L. Hamon on May 7th, last. Hamon is accused by Senator Gore of having offered him $25,000 or $50,000 bribe in connection with the McMurray contracts on May 6th last.

"It was the day after Senator Gore says the bribe was offered him," said Carter. "I met Hamon in the capital, and we went and sat on the capitol steps. Hamon said: 'You go to that old man Gore and get him to withdraw that fool bill of his against the McMurray contracts.'

"I replied: 'If I should mix up in those McMurray contracts the people would think I got part of the fee, or they would think I did not have sense enough to get part of it, which would be disastrous to me politically in either case.' I asked Hamon why he didn't go to Gore himself. He replied he wasn't interested in the contracts."

Seeing Senator Gore afterwards, the witness said, he told him what Hamon had said about not having any interest in the contracts. "That was not what he told me," Senator Gore replied, according to Carter. The Senator then told Carter about the attempted bribery.

said.

It was last January or February that Carter and Adams met, the witness said. "Adams invited me to his home in Washington and I went to see him," said Congressman Carter.

During the conversation he spoke of his five per cent. arrangement with McMurray. He said he would get five per cent. of whatever McMurray made out of the land deal. He then told me he had lots of people back of him. "Who have you got?' I asked. 'Well,' he replied, 'we've got Congressman McGuire for one.' 'Is McGuire in on it?' I asked. 'Yes,' he said, 'McGuire is in on it and he will get his share,

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MURDER AND ARSON MAY BE CHARGED

Sensational Arrest Follows Early Morning Fire in Wilmington Yesterday.

PROPRIETOR LANDED IN JAIL

Says Only He, the Boy and His God Know Cause of Death of Lad, Held Without Bond—Coroner's Jury.

Acting upon the theory that Edward Cromwell, 19 years old, who lost his life in the Rock Spring Hotel fire, No. 8 Chesnut street, in this city, early yesterday morning, was murdered and the building set on fire to cover up the crime, a $2,500 insurance policy on the life of the youth furnishing the motive, Dr. C. D. Bell, the county coroner, yesterday afternoon swore out a warrant for J. C. Holly, proprietor of the house, who was subsequently arrested by Constable W. B. Savage on the grave charge and was committed to the county jail by Justice Geo. Harriss, who issued the warrant, without bond, pending further investigation, which is being made by a jury under the direction of Coroner Bell.

As soon as he was arrested Holly was taken before Justice Harriss, who explained to him thoroughly the nature of the charge against him and warned him that he did not have to make any statement that would incriminate himself or that might be used against him at the trial. Notwithstanding this warning Holly, in the presence of Justice Harriss, Constable Savage and two or three others, stated of his own volition that "nobody but the boy, myself and God know the cause of his death." The defendant attempted to say more, but Justice Harriss asked Constable Savage to take him on to the county jail, where he was incarcerated pending further developments.

An account of the fire was carried in yesterday's Star and at the hour the paper went to press there was no apparently well founded incident or circumstance to indicate anything but an ordinary fire, though shortly thereafter there developed sensational rumors, leading to the investigation later in the day by the coroner and other officers. A fact that made it appear the youth had met with foul play was that a number of trunks and other things were removed from the burning structure while a human being was known to be in the building and no great effort was apparently put forth to rescue him until the fire had made considerable headway. This was the first circumstance in a chain that was observed by those who could not get way from the belief that the young man could have been rescued in ample time to save his life. Then it was learned that there was $2,500 insurance on the life of Cromwell, the proprietor of the house, being the beneficiary by transfer which took place Monday; that Holly had paid the amount of the premium, $58 and some cents; that application was made for a $5,000 policy, but the company, the Greensboro Life, had refused to issue more than half that amount; that he had endeavored to obtain insurance on the lad from the Virginia Life Insurance Company but failed, and the position and condition of body when found; discovered by firemen that the bedding in the room occupied by Cromwell had been saturated with oil; reports as to a struggle neard in the vicinity of the room of the dead boy about 11 o'clock Tuesday night—these and other circumstances developing during the morning caused the coroner to take hold of the situation and act promptly.

The theory advanced by those pushing the case is that the lad was given some narcotic and was sleeping so soundly at the time of the fire that the noise could not wake him, and that this drug was administered in an attempt to ward off suspicion. The autopsy performed during the day failed to reveal any evidences of violence, but did show that the young man was alive when burned. It will take a chemical analysis to determine whether or not any drug was administered prior to the fire.

Coroner Bell summoned a jury and began an investigation yesterday afternoon, examining several material witnesses, and the hearing will be resumed this morning when additional facts are expected to be brought to light.

Coroner's Jury Convenes.

The coroner's jury met yesterday afternoon in the grand jury room at the Court House, and after being duly sworn by Dr. C. D. Bell, the coroner, organized by the election of Mr. N. M. McEachern as chairman and Louis T. Moore as secretary, the other members of the jury being W. L. Burkheimer, Reuben Grant, W. C. Armstrong and H. K. Holden. The first witness was James H. Scull, Esq., attorney, who did some notary work in connection with the life insurance policy assigned to Holly by Cromwell. Mr. Scull testified in substance as follows:

"I came down from Cronly Monday morning. In the afternoon Mr. H. E. Robbins, agent for the Greensboro Life Insurance Company, came to my office and said that he had some notary work he desired done,

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THE WORLD OF SPORTS

RACING — BASEBALL — BOXING

WON IN THIRTEENTH INNING

Two Base Hit by Mills and Bingle by Kite Did Work for Sailors Yesterday Afternoon—Forfeit Declared.

Results Yesterday.

Wilson 11; Goldsboro 2.
Rocky Mount-Raleigh, rain.
Wilmington 1; Fayetteville 0.
2nd: Wilmington 0; Fayetteville 9.

Where They Play Today.

Goldsboro at Rocky Mount.
Fayetteville at Wilson.
Raleigh at Wilmington.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Fayetteville, N. C., Aug. 10.—On their last appearance here this season the Wilmington Sailors won their first victory on the local grounds since July 6th, 1909, and the third game won here in the last two seasons. Wilmington refused to play the second game of the proposed doubleheader, bringing up the hoary "two-hours before sunset" rule and the game was forfeited to Fayetteville 9 to 0.

The first game, which went to Wilmington 1 to 0, was a beautiful 13-inning affair in which Boyle's pitching featured. Not a Sailor reached second base until the 13th and they should really not have acomplished this feat at all, as Mills' double in the 13th came after he had popped an easy foul which Dwyer could have gotten had he been allowed, but the hard working Galvin thought it was his. The game was errorless until the 10th. One excusable error was made on 120 fielding chances.

The Tabulated Score.

Wilmington.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Hoffman, cf	5	0	1	4	0	0
Cooper, 3b	5	0	1	1	2	0
Tydeman, lf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Orth, 2b	5	0	0	8	6	0
Doak, rf	5	0	1	0	1	0
Mills, 1b	5	1	1	15	1	0
Dubbs, ss	5	0	0	2	8	0
Kite, c	5	0	1	8	3	0
Howard, p	3	0	1	0	0	0
Fletcher, p	2	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	43	1	7	39	21	0

Fayetteville.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Mullen, cf	4	0	0	5	0	0
Dwyer, 1b	5	0	1	16	4	0
O'Halloran, 2b	3	0	0	5	4	0
Peartee, lf	5	0	0	2	0	0
Landgraff, 3b	4	0	0	2	2	1
Brandt, rf	3	0	0	2	2	0
Cantwell, ss	4	0	1	1	3	0
Galvin, c	4	0	0	6	1	0
Boyle, p	4	0	2	0	6	0
Hartley	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mayer	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	36	0	4	39	22	1

Score By Innings.

Wilmington .. ...000 000 000 000 1—1 7 0
Fayetteville .. ...000 000 000 000 0—0 4 1

Summary—Sacrifice hits, Mullen, O'Halloran; bases on balls, Howard 2, Fletcher 1; struck out, Boyle 6, Howard 2, Fletcher 4; hits off Howard 4 in 8 innings, off Fletcher none in 5 innings; two base hits, Mills; double plays, Dubbs to Orth to Mills; stolen bases, Landgraff; time 2:20; umpire, Barre; attendance 575.

FLY CATCHES.

Jubilant Jottings, Joy Jingles, Jocose Jests—and Some More.

Hip, Hip, Hurrah—Likewise Hooray.

It's too late in the season to take pity on 'em.

Just kiss yourselves a fond good bye little Birdies.

Look for a battle royal at League Park this afternoon.

'Twas yesterday those Highlanders did the fling—in our direction.

We must at least add two more to the "W" end of the percentage column this week.

Those Red Birds have been playing in luck the past two weeks, but here's where they break it.

It was undoubtedly the toughest tussel those Kilties have had, and (as a side remark) we were the victors.

That dope about a champion not "coming back" is all bosh. Our "Reuben, From Elfland" does it every time.

It was Mills and Kite who turned the trick in the unlucky (?) thirteenth, and they should get an ovation this afternoon.

We hate to do it, etc., but those Red Birds of the higher atmosphere must bid farewell to the top of the ladder before they leave this burg.

'Twas a complete banzai of sweet rapture among the fans at the matinee when Mayer the "pinch hitter" fouled out in the thirteenth.

Anyway if we didn't win 'em all at Fayetteville, our boys fattened their batting averages considerably at the expense of those Highland Fling-ers, and they need it now.

The St. Louis Cardinals have a pitcher, Rube Geyer, who has been with them all the season, and has worked only two fifths of one inning, yet he has drawn $1,050 for this five minutes work.

Johnny Sexton, the little A. & M. twirler who was with the Sailor crew a part of last season, is playing star ball with the Lynchburg team in the Virginia League. The other day he officiated at both ends of a doubleheader with Norfolk, winning the first without Norfolk scoring, and holding them down for eleven innings in the second game before they got a tally across.

AVIATOR SERIOUSLY HURT.

Broke Propeller While in Air, and Was Injured in Wreck of Machine.

Johannisthal, Germany, Aug. 10. — The aeroplanist Heim met with a serious accident at the aviation meeting here this afternoon. While flying at a height of about 225 feet in a Wright machine one of the propellers broke. The other continued to run, causing the craft to turn over several times. It fell with a crash, and was completely demolished. Heim was carried off the field unconscious. Later he regained consciousness, but his injuries are considered very grave.

The flights today were of a mediocre character.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Cleveland, O., Aug. 10.—In the second double-header of the series between Cleveland and Washington this afternoon, Cleveland took the first game by the score of 3 to 2 in eleven innings, while neither team was able to score in the second game, which was called at the end of the ninth on account of darkness. All four pitchers that worked pitched splendid ball, Gray and Koestner in particular. Moyer forced in the winning run in the first game with a bob.

Cleveland ....001 000 010 01—3 6 0
Washington. .000 010 001 00—2 6 3

Mitchell and Easterly; Moyer and Henry. Umpires, O'Loughlin and Egan. Time, 2:25.

Second game:

Cleveland .....000 000 000—0 6 1
Washington .....000 000 000—0 7 1

Korstner and Bemis; Gray and Ainsworth. Umpires, Egan and O'Loughlin. Time, 2:05.

St. Louis, Aug. 10.—St. Louis took both games of a double-header from New York today, the first by a score of 10 to 6, and the second 3 to 0. Pelty gave New York two hits in the second game.

St. Louis .....000 103 24*—10 15 3
New York .....141 000 000—6 9 2

Kinsella, Criss and Killifer; Manning, Warhop and Criger. Umpires, Perrine and Dineen. Time, 1:20.

Second game:

St. Louis .....000 001 02*—3 6 1
New York .....000 000 000—0 2 3

Pelty and Killiefer; Hughes, Fisher and Mitchell. Umpires, Dineen and Perrine. Time, 1:35.

Detroit, Aug. 10. — Philadelphia bunched two doubles, a triple, a single and two bases on balls in the first inning of today's game, scoring five runs and taking a lead that Detroit never was able to overcome.

Philadelphia ....500 000 210—8 10 0
Detroit .....000 200 100—3 9 2

Cooms and Tromas; Donovan and Schmidt. Umpires, Kerin and Connolly. Time, 1:54.

Chicago, Aug. 10.—Purtell's triple in the twelfth, followed by Collins' single, gave the Sox a 2 to 1 victory over Boston today. Chicago got away to a one-run lead in the first on a double steal, but the visitors tied it up in the eighth, when Lange weakened.

Boston. . ..000 000 010 000—1 7 2
Chicago. . .100 000 000 001—2 8 3

Cicotte and Carrigan; Lange and Payne. Umpires, Evans and Collifowloer. Time, 1:35.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Boston, Aug. 10.—Home runs by Gibson and Wagner overcame Boston's lead, and with another run made by good hitting, Pittsburg today won the fourth straight game from the home team, 3 to 2.

Pittsburg .. .. ..001 011 000—3 11 0
Boston .. ..200 000 000—2 6 3

Camnitz and Gibson; Curtis, Brown and Graham. Umpires, Eason and Johnstone. Time, 1:32.

Other games postponed, rain.

MINOR LEAGUES.

South Atlantic League.

At Macon-Augusta, rain.
At Savannah 5; Columbus 3.
At Jacksonville 4; Columbia 4.

Southern League.

At Mobile 5; Montgomery 5.
At Birmingham 2; New Orleans 0.
At Chattanooga 3; Nashville 4.
No others scheduled.

Virginia League.

At Danville 0; Lynchburg 6.
At Roanoke 6; Norfolk 1.
At Petersburg 1; Richmond 2.

Carolina League.

At Spartanburg 0; Anderson 7.
At Greenville 1; Greensboro 4.
At Winston-Salem 5; Charlotte 2.

GANS DIES IN BALTIMORE.

Former Champion Prize Fighter Loses in Battle for Life.

Baltimore, Aug. 10.—Joseph Gant, better known as Joe Gans, the colored fighter who was once champion lightweight pugilist of the world, died at 8:08 o'clock this morning, of tuberculosis, at the home of his foster parents, 1026 Argyle avenue.

The old master, after battling three months against death, went gamely to his fate. Gans was conscious until a half hour before he died. The ex-champion spoke his last words to Kid North, the California fighter, who helped condition him for most of his championship battles.

At 7:30 this morning Joe called the "Kid" to his bedside, and grabbing his hand said, "Kid, be good; Martha will teach you tomorrow what to do." With this Gans closed his eyes and began gasping for breath. North, seeing that the end was near, immediately sent for Dr. Jay, the attending physician. The ex-champion passed away before medical aid reached his bedside.

SHOOT AT CAMP PERRY.

Sharp-Shooters Turned Tables on United States Service Crack.

Camp Perry, O., Aug. 10.—Today the National Guard sharp-shooters turned the tables on the United States Service crack. In the Ohio match for the adjutant general's $500 cup, Private W. H. McCorthy, of the second corps cadets, Massachusetts, shot up the field of 158 scoring 97 in 20 shots at 1,000 shots.

Private George W. Chesley, of the second Connecticut, New Haven, tied McCarthy's total, but had a four for his last shot. All but three of the 12 winners were militia men.

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ALL WILSON WAY YESTERDAY

Score 11 to 2 Against Goldsboro Giants Yesterday—Two New Pitchers Tried Out—Jacobs Played Star Ball.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Goldsboro, N. C., Aug. 10.—Wilson had everything her way, and thus took today's game. Goldsboro tried out two new pitchers, and they showed promise of making good. Morgan and Evans fielded beautifully today for Goldsboro, the latter pulling in two drives which looked good for three bags. Jacobs played splendid ball for Wilson, not only fielding beautifuly, but also securing three hits.

The Tabulated Score.

Goldsboro.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Gates, 3b	3	1	0	2	3	0
Sharpe, 2b	3	0	1	2	3	0
Handiboe, cf	3	0	0	1	1	0
McDonald, 1b	3	0	1	14	0	1
Morgan, ss	3	0	0	0	4	0
Evans, lf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Daily, rf	4	0	1	0	1	0
Fulton, c	3	0	0	6	1	0
Boyce, p	2	1	1	0	2	0
Harrell, p	2	0	0	0	2	1
Totals	30	2	5	27	17	2

Wilson.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
McGeehand, 2b	5	1	0	3	4	0
Jacobs, 3b	5	2	3	0	4	0
Miller, c	5	2	2	1	1	0
Sheridian, cf	2	3	1	2	0	0
Phelan, 1b	4	1	2	14	0	0
Hearne, rf	4	1	0	2	0	0
Armstrong, lf	5	0	3	5	0	0
Sharpe, ss	4	0	0	0	4	1
Stewart, p	3	1	0	0	1	0
Totals	37	11	11	27	14	1

Score By Innings.

Goldsboro .. ..100 010 000— 2 5 3
Wilson .. ..015 020 003—11 11 1

Summary—Earned runs, Goldsboro 1, Wilson 4; base on balls, off Stewart 4, off Boyce 3; left on bases, Goldsboro 7, Wilson 6; struck out, by Boyce 4, by Harrell 1; wild pitches, Boyce 1, Stewart 1; base on errors, Goldsboro 2, Wilson 6; two base hits, Daily; hit by pitcher, Sheridian; hits, off Boyce 6 in 5 innings, off Harrell 5 in 4 innings; stolen bases, McDonald, Jacobs, Hearne, Phelan; sacrifice hits, Sheridan, Phelan, Sharpe, Handiboe; attendance 325; time 1:50; umpire, Freeman.

TAFT AND HADLEY CONFER.

Discuss Commission to Inquire Issues of Stocks and Bonds.

Beverly, Mass., Aug. 10.—President Taft and President Hadley, of Yale, were in conference again today in regard to the personnel of the commission which is to be appointed to inquire into the proposed regulation of the issues of stocks and bonds by railroads. While Mr. Hadley has not yet definitely accepted the tendered position of chairman of the commission, he is giving the President all the assistance he can in formulating a plan of work, and it is believed that eventually he will take the chairmanship. Mr. Taft is strongly urging the matter upon him.

An effort is being made to have the commission represent all phases of the work. The so-called progressive sentiment of the Republican party is to be represented.

President Taft and his political advisers believe that the Republican party has a good opportunity to carry Tennessee this Fall, and thus made a break in the "solid South"—one of the President's ambitions.

With this end in view, Mr. Taft invited a number of the party leaders in Tennessee to Beverly in order to see if the Republicans cannot adjust their differences of the past, and go into the coming campaign in harmony. The Tennesseeans are coming Friday to lunch with the President. Among tuem will be Representative Austin, Lee Brock, Newell Sanders and Judge G. M. Henderson.

The Republican hope, as viewed from Beverly, is based on the split in the Democratic party and the recent overwhelming victory of the independent judicial ticket, which won by from 45,000 to 50,000 majority. In addition to a Governor, there is to be elected this Fall a Legislature which will name a successor to Senator Frazier.

NATIONAL REGATTA.

Rowing Crews From Many Cities Gathering at Washington.

Washington, Aug. 10. — Rowing crews from many cities of the United States and Canada are arriving in Washington to compete in the National Regatta on the Potomac river Friday and Saturday. Among the first to arrive was the Mound City four-oared crew, of St. Louis, in charge of James Wray, the noted Harvard coach.

F. Russell Underwood, chairman of the regatta committee, and his assistants were busy today assigning the arriving crews to their quarters along the Potomac banks lining the course, where special lockers and boat houses have been erected for the event.

Many visitors are expected from all parts of the country for the water races. The course will be patrolled by the revenue cutters Apache and Onandaga.

The Vespers, of Philadelphia, and the Virginia Boat Club, of Richmond, also are expected tomorrow morning.

FATAL FLOODS IN JAPAN.

Many Lives Lost and Great Property Damage Reported.

Tokio, Aug. 10.—Serious floods continue through Japan. Thousands of horses are submerged and many lives have been lost. The interruption to the railway service is unprecedented. There is much suffering in Tokio.

Norfolk, Va., Aug. 10.—The first annual convention of the Association of Virginia Clerks of the Court opened today at Ocean View for a session of two days, concluding tomorrow night with a banquet to be attended by Governor Mann, United States Senators Martin and Swanson, and prominent members of the judiciary in Virginia. Today's feature was the reading of a paper by Robert Gilliam, of Petersburg, on "Criminal Proceedure." President Albert Sydney Johnson, clerk of the court of Isle of Wight, is presiding.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

EASTERN CAROLINA LEAGUE.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Raleigh	9	5	.643
Wilson	9	6	.600
Fayetteville	8	7	.533
Rocky Mount	6	7	.462
Goldsboro	6	8	.429
Wilmington	5	10	.333

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Chicago	63	33	.656
Pittsburg	57	38	.600
New York	55	39	.585
Cincinnati	49	49	.500
Philadelphia	48	48	.500
Brooklyn	41	56	.423
St. Louis	39	59	.398
Boston	36	66	.353

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Athletics	68	31	.687
Boston	60	42	.588
Detroit	57	45	.559
New York	56	46	.549
Cleveland	47	51	.480
Washington	42	60	.412
Chicago	40	59	.404
St. Louis	31	67	.316

TEDDY AND POLITICS.

Garfield, Pinchot and Loeb at Oyster Bay Yesterday and Last Night.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Aug. 10.—Theodore Roosevelt held a secret conference tonight with James R. Garfield, of Cleveland, ex-Secretary of the Interior, and Gifford Pinchot, of New York, deposed chief forester, who are regarded as two of the most ardent of insurgents. They are spending the night at Sagamore Hill.

William Loeb, Jr., collector of the port of New York, left Sagamore Hill this afternoon, after a long discussion of political matters with the ex-President. The visit of Messrs. Garfield and Pinchot rounded out a period of two nights and a day, of which Col. Roosevelt gave a large part of his time to a close survey of the field of politics, particularly in New York State, Ohio and the Far West.

The two men, whom Roosevelt numbers as among his closest friends, protested that they would not and could not talk about their plans or the significance of their visit. In response to inquiries, Mr. Pinchot said: "Col. Roosevelt invited Mr. Garfield and me to visit him, and that's all there is to it."

When asked about his California trip he said that he made speeches there in behalf of Hiram Johnson, a candidate for the Republican nomination for Governor, and for William Kent, a candidate for the Republican nomination for Congress from the Sacramento district."

"How did I find the sentiment in the West in regard to the Roosevelt politics? Very enthusiastic," said the ex-forester with emphasis.

"And what do they think of the Taft administration?"

"What do you think of the weather?" was his reply. It was raining hard just then.

Col. Roosevelt also refused to be interviewed on politics after his guests had arrived. He remarked that he was very glad to see his old friends once more, and that that was all there was to say. He did add, however, that he was talking about conservation with his former forester, who worked out the conservation policy with him when they were both in Washington. It was expected that Mr. Pinchot would make a report on political conditions in the Far West, as he observed them on his recent trip.

Mr. Loeb's visit, Col. Roosevelt said, he could not discuss, beyond saying that they talked about one-fifth politics and four-fifths other things, mainly about old times.

BOUT WAS POSTPONED.

Kaufman-Langford Six-Round Contest Prevented by Bad Weather.

Philadelphia, Aug. 10.—With Al. Kaufman, of California, and Sam Langford, the negro heavy weight from Boston in the city ready to do battle the six round bout between the men scheduled for tonight at the grounds of the Philadelphia National League baseball park has been postponed. Weather permitting the men will meet tomorrow night but in the event of rain the first clear night thereafter. While rain fell nearly all day the decision to postpone the bout was not arrived at until 5 o'clock. Kaufman accompanied by Billy Delaney, his sparring partner and manager, arrived in Philadelphia today and expressed confidence in the outcome of his meeting with Langford. Delaney was equally confident. He said: "Al will beat that fellow. He will simply fight the 'Tar Baby' off his feet."

"Johnson says that Kaufman is the second best man," said Sam Langford, "and that is one of the reasons I am going to meet him. I expect to win inside the limit. If I beat Al. easily then Johnson can hardly say I am in the infant class."

DEPUTY SHOOTS NEGRO.

Offered Resistance to Officer Near Fayetteville and Was Shot.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Fayetteville, N. C., Aug. 10.—Deputy Sheriff D. K. Taylor, near Fayetteville this morning, shot and seriously wounded Will Page, alias John Wood. Deputy Taylor went to Rockfish, the negro's home, to serve papers on him for selling a cow which it is charged he had stolen from one W. S. Townsend. Taylor arrested Wood and started with him for Fayetteville. When near Hope Mills the negro who was bound, requested Taylor to replace his suspenders which had slipped down. Taylor attempted to do so when Wood sprang upon him and bore him down wrenching Taylor's pistol from his grasp. After a long scuffle Taylor regained the pistol and shot the negro in the stomach. He then went to Hope Mills, procured a buggy and carried Wood to the railroad depot at Hope Mills whence he was brought to Fayetteville and lodged in the jail hospital.

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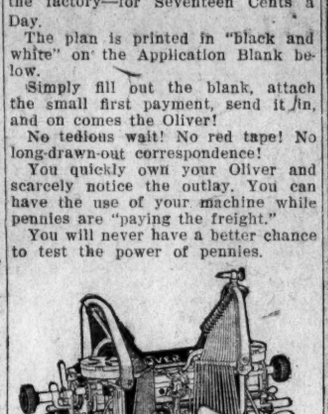

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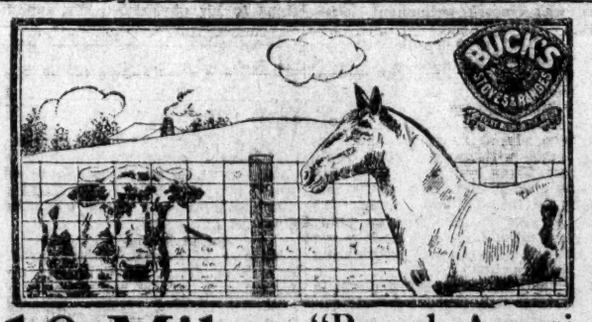

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AFFAIRS AT THE CAPITAL

Deputy Insurance Commissioner Scott Busy—Jefferson Standard Directors in Session—Farm Co-operation Work—Other News.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 10. — Deputy Commissioner of Insurance W. A. Scott has returned from Jefferson, Ashe county, where he succeeded in having two young white men, Vance and Quincy Dollar, bound over to Superior Court on the charge of maliciously setting fire to and destroying the grist mill of James Warren, because they had a grudge against him. Deputy Commissioner Smott left this evening for Wilmington to investigate the sensational Rock Springs hotel fire in that city.

Here today to attend a meeting of the directors of the Jefferson Standard Life Insurance Company were J. C. Braswell, Rocky Mount; W. I. Everett, Rockingham; H. C. McQueen, Wlmington; George A. Holderness, Tarboro; W. M. Sanders, Smithfield; J. O. Ellington, Fayetteville.

A suit by W. R. Carroll and his son, Siler C. Carrol, against the Zebulon Cotton Oil Company, this county, for $35,000 for injuries while at work in the mill, has just been compromised for $1,750. Siler Carroll had his arm torn off at the elbow in a gin, and claimed that he was ordered to pass too close to the gin by the superintendent, so that his arm was caught in the teeth of the gin.

Hon. R. L. Doughton, Democratic nominee for Congrss in the Eighth district against Congressman Cowles, Republican, while in the city last evening declared Democracy in good fighting trim in his district, and expressed cnfidence of a good, big Democratic victory in November.

Ex-Sheriff Ham Jones, who was the leading spirit for the Butler-Morehead interests in the sensational Wake Forest County Republican convention Saturday, in which the opposition was forced to take to the bushes and hold a separate convention, spent some time in the offices of the Collector of Internal Revenue this morning. There were heard a number of expressions of the view that the ex-sheriff was sort of "trying on, as it were, the collectorship so becomingly worn by Hon. Wheeler Martin." He lounged around trying various chairs and desks, and is said to have taken his leave wearing a smile that indicated confidence that he could adjust himself to the coveted nest.

The Goldsboro and Mount Olive sections of the State are the objective points just now of Prof. C. L. Goodrich and J. E. Beavers, of the farm management offices of the United States Department of Agriculture, who are devoting much time to work in their line in this State just now. They have in hand just now the starting of a sort of co-operative work among the farmers of the State in the demonstration of the advisability of growing leguminous clover crops for the improvement of the soil, there being, Professor Goodrich says, a growing interest in this phase of agricultural uplift. It is probable that Mr. Beavers will devote his entire attention to North Carolina work along this line next year, with headquarters either in Raleigh or Greensboro. They spent the past several days in the United States experiment station here.

COLORED S. S. WORK.

Convention in Session at Raleigh—Notable Addresses Yesterday.

(Special Sar Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 9.—"The Opportunity and Responsibility of the Educated Christian Woman," was the subject of the lecture tonight by Mr. N. B. Broughton, of this city, one of the leading Sunday School workers of the country, before hundreds of colored Baptist Sunday School workers attending the Colored Baptist State Sunday School convention in this city. This able worker was enthusiastically received by the convention.

The convention is a success because of its comprehensive and practical work that is effectively preparing the members of the organization for concrete work. "What the Sunday School Can Do to Decrease Crime in the Community," was a topic that was discussed with fervor by the delegates and tangible results may be expected from this feature of today's programme.

Dr. N. F. Roberts, vice president of Shaw University, president of the convention, made his annual address at tonight's session. The progress of the organization was excellently narrated by this noted colored theologian and educator, and the address was pregnant with features for the healthy growth of the work.

The enthusiasm of the delegates and the earnestness exhibited by them is an auspicious feature of the convention. The following officers of the B. Y. P. U. convention were elected: President, Prof. W. H. Knuckles, Lumberton; Josie Taylor, Wilmington, secretary; J. F. Haywood, Maxton, treasurer.

An instructive feature of tomorrow's programme will be "Primary Class Demonstration," by Mr. Joe Weathers, of Tabernacle Baptist Church, white.

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CARD FROM MR. SYKES.

"Official Reply" to an "Official" Announcement Recently Made.

Editor Star: My attention having been called today to certain statements made in an article published in Sunday morning's paper (July 31), under the head of "Official Statement," I desire to reply to same, if you will accord me the same privilege as others.

I want to say first, that the statement, insofar as it relates to myself and the precinct meeting at Delgado, is an unmitigated falsehood out of the whole cloth, save the statement that I was a member of the County Executive Committee, and that a "Precinct meeting was advertised." The writers say it was Sykes' duty to conduct such meeting; admitted. They say further, "In which precinct Sykes held no precinct meeting to ascertain Mr. Godwin's strength." This statement is a falsehood as black as the Devil himself ever uttered, and I challenge them to prove to the contrary. I have abundant proof to sustain my contention, and stand ready to submit them, when necessary, to the proper tribunal. There was a precinct meeting held in Delgado Mills store, in Delgado Precinct, on the 25th day of June, 1910, at 8:30 o'clock p. m., in accordance with the call previously issued by myself as executive committeeman of said precinct. There were present about 25 persons. I, acting as temporary chairman, called said meeting to ordr and stated the object of the same, to-wit: For the purpose of electing delegates to the county convention to be held at the court house in New Hanover county on the 2nd day of July, 1910. On motion of Mr. Joel Ray, duly seconded, I was elected permanent chairman of said meeting. After permanent organization had been secured I stated, as chairman of the meeting, that it was in order for any one present to test the strength of the various candidates that might be represented in said county convention. The meeting was unanimous for Hon. R. L. Godwin for Congress, and it was stated in said meetings that they felt no special interest in any of the other candidates for office that might come before said county convention. On motion made and duly seconded, the chairman of said meeting was elected a delegate to the county convention and instructed to appoint the other three delegates to which said precinct was entitled.

Replying to the statement that I came into the convention without any credentials as a delegate, and presented no authority to vote except as being self appointed, this statement I brand as absolutely false. I came to the convention with my credentials duly certified by Mr. E. C. Reynolds, the secretary of the precinct meeting, and gave them personally to Mr. John J. Furlong, chairman of the county executive committee, before the convention was called to order. This fact I do not believe Mr. Furlong will deny; and further, after the convention was called to order and Mr. Marsden Bellamy was elected chairman and Mr. James H. Cowan, secretary of the so-called permanent organization, when the roll of precincts was called, Delgado Precinct was omitted from the call, notwithstanding the fact that three delegates from said precinct handed their credentials, in person, to Mr. Cowan, secretary, in my presence, and in the presence of numerous others who will testify to the fact.

They say further, "As to Mr. Clifford's statement that in New Hanover county 23 delegates were present at the county convention who favored the nomination of Mr. Godwin. * * * We will state, on the information obtained from the chairman and secretary of the New Hanover county convention, and other unquestioned proof, that the statement is absolutely false and had no foundation in fact." I desire to state that we have 23, whose veracity has never been impeached, who stand ready to make affidavit to the fact that they were duly accredited delegates to the New Hanover county convention, held on the 2nd day of July, 1910, and that they would have voted for Hon. H. L. Godwin for Congress had they been given an opportunity to do so.

They say "it is true one J. H. Sykes, of Delgado Precinct, arose in the convention and said 'I nominate Hon. H. L. Godwin.'" That is true in part, and in part untrue. This is what I did say: "Mr. Chairman, I desire to place before this convention the name of Hon. H. L. Godwin, the present incumbent, for Congress, and have his strength tested." When I had gotten as far as H. L. Godwin, W. P. Gafford, Esq., arose immediately to the right and behind the chairman, who turned from me and faced Mr. Gafford and recognized him. Mr. Gafford offered a motion that the chairman be empowered to appoint the delegates to the several district conventions. Immediately thereupon some one offered a motion to adjourn, and it was declared carried by the chairman. The convention lasted just three and one-half minutes from the time the so-called permanent organization was secured until the motion to adjourn was declared carried.

I make this statement in justice to Mr. Godwin, the public and myself.

Respectfully,
J. H. SYKES, Chairman.
August 10, 1910.

BIG DAY AT WASHINGTON.

Business Men to Entertain Farmers. Street Improvements.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Washington, N. C., Aug. 10.—The committee of arrangements appointed by the Chamber of Commerce of this city to make the necessary arrangements for the big barbecue to be given the different farmers of this section at the new tobacco warehouse soon to be opened in this city, have everything in readiness, and all indications point to a gala day for Washington tomorrow. Invitations have been sent to large numbers of farmers and tobacco growers all over Beaufort and adjoining counties, and from present prospects a record-breaking crowd will be in attendance on that date. A mammoth barbecue and picnic dinner will be served the farmers at the new tobacco warehouse, after which there will be a number of speeches made by some of our most prominent and gifted speakers.

The preliminary work of building the concrete curbing to the different streets designated for paving in this city that has been going on for the past several weeks under the direction of the city engineer and the street improvement committee, has about been completed, and the material for paving has already been shipped. As soon as it arrives this work will be commenced in dead earnest.

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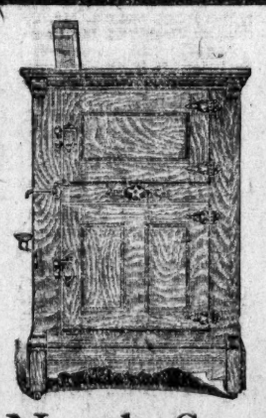

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48	42-86	48-86	a via Petersburg. *Daily	89-49	83-41	49
*8:40am	*7:00pm	*8:40am	Lv. ..... WILMINGTON ..... Ar.	6 15pm	9 45am	6 15pm
11 37am	10 05pm	11 37am	Ar. ..... Goldsboro ..... Lv.	2 59pm	6 40am	2 59pm
12:36pm	11:05pm	12:36pm	Ar. ..... Wilson ..... Lv.	1 52pm	5 49am	1 52pm
1 18pm	11 45pm	1 18pm	Ar. ..... Rocky Mount ..... Lv.	12:58pm	5:05am	12:58pm
.....	2:15pm	4:55pm	Ar. ..... Weldon ..... Lv.	11:30am	3:25am	.....
.....	4:00cm	7:05pm	Ar. ..... Petersburg ..... Lv.	9:13am	1:40am	.....
8:50pm	a8:00am	.....	Ar. ..... Norfolk ..... Lv.	.....	a8:00pm	*8:15am
.....	4 40am	8 00pm	Ar. ..... Richmond ..... Lv.	8:15am	1:30am	.....
.....	8 00am	11 50pm	Ar. ..... Washington ..... Lv.	4:20am	9:40pm	.....
.....	9:52am	1:15am	Ar. ..... Baltimore ..... Lv.	2 46am	8 20pm	.....
.....	11:53am	3:40am	Ar. ....West Philadelphia.... Lv.	12 19am	5 44pm	.....
.....	2:15pm	6:30am	Ar. .....NEW YORK..... Lv.	*9 25pm	*3 25pm	.....

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55-89	51-83	*Daily	82-50	80-54	
*3:15pm	*5:35am	Lv. ..... WILMINGTON ..... Ar.	12:55am	1:40pm	.....
7:25pm	9:20am	Ar. ..... Florence ..... Lv.	9:05pm	9:30am	.....
11:20pm	1:35pm	Ar. ..... Charleston ..... Lv.	5:50pm	5:20am	.....
2:40am	6:45pm	Ar. ..... Savannah ..... Lv.	1:20pm	12:15am	.....
.....11 55am	2 20am	Ar. ..... Albany ..... Lv.	1 25am	1 55pm	.....
..... 9:40am	1:45am	Ar. ..... Thomasville ..... Lv.	2 35am	2 05pm	.....
..... 5 50pm	8 50am	Ar. ..... Montgomery ..... Lv.	6 50pm	6 05am	.....
..... 7:15am	.....	Ar. .... JACKSONVILLE ... Lv.	9:15am	7:55pm	.....
..... 2:05pm	.....	Ar. ..... Sanford, Fla..... Lv.	2 10am	2 55pm	.....
..... 7:00pm	.....	Ar. ..... TAMPA ..... Lv.	9 00pm	10 30am	.....
..... 8:55pm	.....	Ar. ST. PETERSBURG Lv.	.....	6:45am	.....
.....10:20pm	.....	Ar.. FORT MYERS Lv.	*3:00pm	*6:45am	.....

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55	51	*Daily.	32-50	54
*3:15pm	*5:35am	Lv. ..... WILMINGTON ..... Ar.	12:55am	1:40pm
7:25pm	9:20am	..... Florence ..... Lv.	9:05pm	9:30am
9:20pm	11:20am	Ar. ..... Sumter ..... Lv.	5:55pm	7:40am
11:10pm	12:55pm	Ar. ..... COLUMBIA ..... Lv.	4:10pm	6:00am
.....	.....	Ar. ..... AUGUSTA ..... Lv.	2:30pm	.....
11:30pm	1:10pm	Lv. ..... Columbia ..... Sou. Ry. .... Ar.	2:30pm	5:00am
5:30am	7:40pm	Ar. ..... Saluda ..... " ..... Lv.	8:45am	10:25pm
6:00am	8:15pm	Ar. ..... Hendersonville.. " ..... Lv.	8:00am	9:50pm
7:00am	9:15pm	Ar. ..... ASHEVILLE .. " ..... Lv.	*7:00am	8:50pm
9:05pm	.....	Ar. ..... Knoxville ..... " ..... Lv.	.....	6:30am
8:40am	.....	Ar. ..... Louisville ..... Lv.	.....	8:00am
8:00am	.....	Ar. ..... CINCINNATI ..... Lv.	.....	*8:10pm

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57	51-97	55	*Daily. !Daily except Sunday.	54	98-50	58
*7:30pm	*5:35am	*3:15pm	Lv ..... WILMINGTON ... Ar	1:40pm	12:55am	8:30am
9:15pm	7:20am	5:00pm	Ar ..... CHADBOURN .. Lv.	*11:40am	*11:02pm	6:25am
11:10pm	11:50am	.....	Lv ..... CHADBOURN .... Ar.	.....	5:00pm	6:10am
12:45am	1:30pm	.....	Ar ..... CONWAY .... Lv.	.....	13:30pm	*1:45am

61	59	53	*Daily. !Daily ex. Sun. xSunday only.	60	52
x6:30pm	5:25pm	*8:45am	Lv..... WILMINGTON .... Ar.	10:15am	8:05pm
9:45pm	8:45pm	11:45am	Ar..... Fayetteville ..... Lv.	7:05	4:50pm
9:45pm	8:45pm	12:10pm	Lv..... Fayetteville ..... Ar.	7:00am	4:45pm
11:10pm	10:10pm	1:40pm	Ar.....SANFORD, N. C..... Lv.	*5:35am	*3:30pm

68	62	64	!Daily except Sun. xSun. only	69	63	65
x6:45pm	3:25pm	5:50am	Lv..... WILMINGTON .... Ar.	10:15am	12:50pm	6:50pm
8:34pm	5:22pm	7:42am	Ar.. ....Jacksonville, N. C... Lv.	8:28am	10:53am	4:55pm
9:55pm	6:44pm	9:10am	Ar. .....Nor & Son. Jct..... Lv.	7:05am	9:35am	3:35pm
10:00pm	6:50pm	9:15am	Ar. ... NEWBERN, N. C. ... Lv.	x7:00am	9:30am	3:30pm

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WEEK DAYS.

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	7:15 a. m.
and every half hour thereafter until	and every half hour thereafter until
11:00 p. m.	11:45 p. m.
12:00 p. m.	

Freight

Leave Ninth and Orange streets 6:00 a. m., 10:00 a. m., 4:00 p. m., and 7:00 p. m.

Freight depot open from 5:30 to 6.00 a. m., and from 8:00 a. m. until 7:00 p. m. Freight received at Ninth and Orange streets only.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Front and Princess Sts. East Bound.	Leave The Beach. West Bound.
7:00 a. m.	7:15 a. m.
8:30 a. m.	7:45 a. m.
	9:15 a. m.
and every half hour thereafter until	and every half hour thereafter until
11:00 p. m.	11:45 p. m.
12:00 p. m.	

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Lv. Petersburg	10:50 a m	10:40 p m
Lv. Durham	7:00 a m	5:30 p m
Lv. Lynchburg	2:35 p m	2:30 a m
Ar. Cincinnati	7:30 a m	6:25 p m
Ar. Columbus	6:45 a m	7:05 p m
Ar. Chicago	5:00 p m	7:30 a m
Ar. St. Louis	6:33 p m	8:30 a m

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SATURDAY.

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Trains Arrive at Wilmington

NO. 40—12:20 P. M.—From Charlotte.

NO. 44—12:20 A. M.—From Charlotte and intermediate points.

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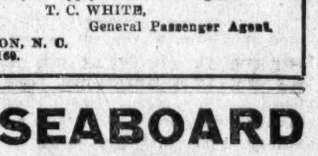

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Thursday, August 11th, 1910.

Colonel Roosevelt says "the people will not let him rest." It is a case of tit for tat. He won't let the people rest.

A Congressman wants to regulate the laundries for their vandalism in tearing up valuable shirts, collars and other wearables. That question should never be raised, even as a joke. It will be seized by the peanut politician and palmed off as a "paramount issue" before you can say "Jack Robinson."

The Hon. Tom Watson, of Georgia, has gotten it into his head that somebody wants to assassinate him. Tom takes himself as seriously as any other ordinary megiomaniac. No use to assassinate him. Give him plenty of rope and he will assassinate himself in public opinion. Skyrockets are made to go off.

The Hon. John Motley Morehead wants "to build up a respectable party in North Carolina." The motive is praiseworthy, but Democrats should draw the line on his invitation to become the material to be used in diluting what he considers an unfit decoction as it now stands in the crucible. Democrats should know that it is a chemical impossibility to make a "bad egg" good by mixing a good egg with it.

The New York World sent an interviewer to Senator Aldrich to ask if Senator Bristow's charges against nim are true, viz.: that he corruptly utilized the tariff law to enrich himself and family at the public expense, by emptying a big tariff bounty into the lap of the rubber trust, in which the Aldriches own 36,450 shares. Aldrich chased the interviewer. Does the World suppose a Senator is going to turn State's evidence to be used as reading matter?

The Burke County Beacon is a weekly newspaper just started at Morganton, with F. E. Bosworth as editor and proprietor, and Frank McDowell as associate editor. The publisher announces that it is not, and will not be a party organ, but it is significant that it starts out with an endorsement of the Hon. S. S. McNinch, of Charlotte, the Republican nominee for Congress against the Hon. E. Yates Webb. It may be no "organ," but it starts off with a tune that will impress the observant man that it must be an instrument set up to play a part in the McNinch campaign.

Several Democratic contemporaries rather throw cold water on the charge of Senator Gore that an attempt was made to bribe him in connection with the Indian Land Scandals. The blind Senator's unimpeached integrity against the fact that robbery of the Indians has been notoriously known for years, is a circumstance that should compel reasonable men to recognize the strong probability that if anybody would rob an Indian, he wouldn't hesitate to bribe a blind Senator if he got a chance. The parties accused by Senator Gore were lying around Washington during the session of Congress with $3,000,000 worth of Indian goods in their possession, and by destroying certain influences, the whole pile, less expenses of various and sundry kinds, would become theirs. Even President Roosevelt and President Taft smelt a rat in connection with the $3,000,000 attorney's fee, and the whole transaction is so palpably rotten that the circumstances would establish the credibiliy of a witness turning State's evidence, much less the sworn statement of a man of character like Senator Gore. The probability of bribery is strong, whether the proof is or not.

TOO MUCH POLITICS.

Too much politics might suit the politicians but it doesn't suit the people and they are becoming restless about it in the South as well as the North. It is enough to go through an ordinary campaign without mixing paramount issues with trite political questions in which small-fry politicians are interested.

In South Carolina there are six counties in which intoxicating liquors are sold by dispensaries under county control. In other words, there are six counties engaged in the liquor business. Six counties own their own barrooms and make a monopoly of the whiskey business, as does Japan make a Government monopoly of the tobacco business. In the counties in which there are dispensaries, or county barrooms, the individual is prohibited from selling intoxicating liquors and the penalties under the law are quite severe. Thus the strong arm of the law is employed to enforce the monopoly of a county in its traffic in strong drink.

In Greenville county, S. C., there are large numbers of citizens who oppose this socialistic plan of selling liquor and maintaining a county monopoly by means of the law, and so the voters of the county of Greenville are to vote upon the question of "dispensary" or "no dispensary." For that purpose a primary election has been called in addition to the regular primary for making nominations for the State and county offices. These elections and campaigns are expensive, however, so it seems that the people who are tired of too much politics, and desirous of avoiding the extra expense, are making an effort to have the dispensary primary "called off."

The Greenville Daily Piedmont expresses gratification over this movement to get rid of one of the primaries and states that both those who advocate the dispensary and those who are opposed to it "are joining hands to have the fake primary on the question called off." The Greenville paper declares that there "really is no use for this primary and to hold it would be folly." The whole question can be decided at the same primary in which nominations are to be made, and the people appear to be agreed that to hold a second primary would be to compel the county "to go through two exciting campaigns when only one is necessary."

Our esteemed Greenville contemporary voices a sentiment that is growing everywhere when it says "Very few people love politics well enough to endure any more of it than necessary." The fact is, politicians are giving the people a disgust for politics. Politics are the questions in which the people are concerned as to government but the politicians lug in so many small questions that people are disgusted and often wish election times would never roll around. In North Carolina side issues are sprung in the nomination of officers and some of the bitterest factional fights have been over questions which are for the Legislature to decide and in which the fight can be made for this or that measure without lugging it into a party primary. Of course, if all the counties are to pass on any question it becomes a State issue, but all questions which can be fought out before the General Assembly have no business in nominating primaries. They would not be there except for peanut politicians who are making capital for themselves. Too many issues and too many primaries make too much politics. Too much politics keep a community in a stew, and for that reason the masses of the people are getting tired of it.

HON. J. A. BROWN FOR SENATOR.

The Democratic convention in the Senatorial district composed of Columbus and Bladen counties met yesterday at Clarkton and nominated the Hon. J. A. Brown, of Cadbourn, for the State Senate. The gentlemen who made the contest for the nomination were Messrs. Jackson and Greer and Donald MacRrackan, of Whiteville, but the contest was so closely waged between them that it made a dark horse possible. Either of those gentlemen would have made a good nominee for the party, but in the selection of Mr. Brown the Senatorial district will have a candidate who has the confidence of the people and will unite the party, probably as no other man in the two counties could do.

No Republican nominee will have any showing against such a man as Mr. Brown, and no district in the State will have in the Senate a man better able to represent its true interests. The Senatorial nominee is an able and patriotic North Carolinian, and is a man of such progressive ideas that his nomination will be good in more ways than in politics. A man so representative should receive the united support of every man in Columbus and Bladen counties who are interested in the welfare and progress of these two fine eastern counties. There is much in store for Columbus and Bladen in the future development of eastern North Carolina, and it means much for them to be represented in the State Senate, or anywhere else, by the Hon. Joseph A. Brown, a man who promotes and develops all causes with which he has anything to do.

ADMINISTRATION OPTIMIST.

General Grosvenor, of Ohio, used to be the G. O. P. optimist and in every election he produced figures to prove the overwhelming victory ahead of the National Republican party. During the Roosevelt administration, the Hon. Leslie M. Shaw, Secretary of the Treasury, was the Administration optimist and he was always cock-sure in his predictions and claims. It was Shaw who repeatedly declared that prices of commodities and manufacturers could not go too high for him, as it was a sure sign of prosperity, a specious argument which caused him to be dubbed "High Price Shaw."

High Price Shaw has been laying low since prices have sored so high under the ruinous protective tariff as to burden consumers throughout the United States. Consumers are Republicans as well as Democrats and Shaw did not have to wait long to hear the universal protest of consumers who have howled so strenuously against the tariff system that robs their families of a comfortable livelihood. The protest against exorbitant and unreasonable prices clearly indicate a deep, widespread and justified dissatisfaction with the party which so legislates that high prices may be secured for special interests without regard to the welfare of the average man—the host of consumers of a tariff ridden country. High prices have done their work both for the consumers and the Republican party as well, and while Shaw is dumb amidst a dangerous dissatisfaction, the Republican campaigners are trying to prove that prices are not high, and if they are, the Republican party is not responsible for them. The burden of Shaw's campaign speeches was that the tariff ensures high prices and high prices guarantee prosperity for American industries. He failed to tell his auditors that prospertiy for special interests was at the expense of the struggling masses, but the campaigners of his party will attempt to allay dissatisfaction by denying that and especially by denying that the traiff is responsible for high prices such as Shaw enthusiastically argued years ago would be the glorious result.

Nevertheless, all that aside, Postmaster General Hitchcock is now the optimist of the Taft administration. He declares that he is "not the least bit pessimistic over the outcome from a Republican point of view," while "the President is growing stronger every day." Hitchcock pretends to be rejoiced at "the improved conditions, especially in the West," although he must overlook the fact that the Western insurgents have whipped out the Administration adherents in their party. It may be a good idea to keep up courage and that is what Hitchcock is in the business to do.

However, hear him speak of President Taft, of whom he says: "The magnificent record of legislation he made during the last Congress is gradually dawning on the people and is making itself felt everywhere." A lot of people probably will believe that, in spite of the fact that the legislation passed had very little resemblance to the Administration bills sent to Congress. The insurgents and Democrats combined to emasculate and so amend them in the interests of the people that the Administration is now willing to lay claim to them in order to get votes. People who kept up with the proceedings of Congress know how it was, but lots of them will glibly swallow the dope that is being handed out to them.

By the way, it was Hitchcock who aided President Roosevelt in forcing Taft's nomination on the Republican party. Hitchcock, on account of his official position, fixed the postmasters for Taft's nomination, and now he is one of the President's righthand men. For the part he took in "fixing" Taft's nomination, Hitchcock was promoted to a cabinet position and throughout it is a game in which one good political turn deserves another. How long will the voters of the United States stand for the game? It is time to get cold feet.

Lo! the poor Indian is considered rich enough to receive particular attention from the grafters.

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The Raleigh News and Observer remarks that "Morehead is determined to build up a respectable Republican party in North Carolina." Why should some men hanker after a job that is bound to make them "sick at the tummy?"

Some old maid in New England has written a magazine article on "How to Train Children." In all probability the spinster has overlooked the rules and thus laid herself liable to a controversy with Colonel Roosevelt, as he "sees it," and has settled it long before the old sister butted in.

CURRENT COMMENT.

According to a temperance report, there are 25,000 fewer saloons than there were a year ago, but according to the government report there has been no decrease in the consumption of liquor.—Augusta Chronicle.

There is no race suicide in Western North Carolina. The Watauga Democrat says eleven sets of twins have been born in one township in that county since Christmas. That county, like Stanly, "raises its own immigrants." — Raleigh News and Observer.

Mr. Taft intimates to the Chicago Tribune that if the Standard Oil and the tobacco trust can not be reached under the present laws, the laws will have to be strengthened. What a cheerful prospect! A change of party government would be easier and more expeditious.—Columbia State.

Ohio is the best satisfied State in the Union. Everybody is happy. The Democratic press report their delight over the Republican ticket as a help to re-elect Governor Harmon and the Republicans like it equally as a winner. It is a fine state of things all around.—Buffalo Evening News.

Morehead is determined to build up "a respectable Republican party in North Carolina," and therefore, Claude Bernard, in Wake; Hiram Grant, in Wayne; Holton, in Durham, and other men whose souls revolt at the spectacle of unworthy men at the head of the party, are working day and night to purify the party!—Raleigh News and Observer.

A contemporary says that Republican National Committeeman E. C. Duncan "charges that Morehead has never attended a Republican convention." The Wilmington Star comments: "Mr. Morehead should hasten to enter a plea of guilty. That would indicate that Mr. Morehead is particular about himself." One of the reasons why Morehead is regarded as capable of organizing "a respectable Republican party" is because he never attended a Republican convention. If he should be contaminated and attend one, where would the "reformers" find a Moses?"—Raleigh News and Observer.

Some time ago when The Chronicle made the statement that some of the farms in North Carolina could grow as much cotton per acre as some of the farms in Texas, and that the Southern States could grow more corn than the Western States, there was an inclination to doubt the sanity of this paper. Now the proof is at hand, at least as to corn. It is stated that a communication in The Atlanta Constitution from the director of the Georgia Experiment Station contrasts the States of North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, Texas, Arkansas and Oklahoma in the South with Pennsylvnia, Indiana, Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota, Kansas and Colorado in the East and West. The total yield of corn of the former group for 1909 was 417,577,000 bushels, while that of the latter was 355,790,000 bushels. It will thus be seen that there is a difference in yield in favor of the nine cotton States of 61,787,000 bushels over the nine non-cotton States. It is not only the South for manufacturers, but for agriculture. — Charlotte Chronicle.

While Chief Politician Hitchcock was in Europe the enemy sowed insurgents in the fields of Kansas, Iowa, Ohio and the whole Middle West. After reducing the deficit in the Postoffice Department, Mr. Hitchcock returns to face the task of reducing the deficit in the ranks of the regulars. The President will break the news gently to him at Beverly. The fences are in bad shape, the cattle are in the corn, the mules have kicked over the traces. Mr. Aldrich is as popular in the East as Mr. Cannon is in Kansas. The Payne tariff bill arouses the same enthusiasm in the country at large that greets Secretary of the Interior Ballinger. With the party mad in Massachusetts, blue in Ohio, split in New York, wild in the West, Mr. Taft's chief politician has his work cut out for him. But he is a great fighter, he has the backing of the Administration and an immense organization, and he usually manages to get all the financial ammunition he needs. He will be cheered by the confident smile of the President, and if he wishes to nerve himself for the contest, he has an unlimited supply of the inspiring tariff tracts of Chairman McKinley, who is serving 3,000,000 campaign documents to the voters to start off the proceedings.—Baltimore Sun.

Republican newspapers and spellbinders have been caught in their own net through the premature boasting of large receipts from the tariff duties. That carefully concocted declaration of the Republican Ohio platform says that the Payne tariff law has justified the expectation of its friends by turning a national deficit into a surplus. Now for the facts: For the fiscal year ending June 30, 1910, there was a deficit over all receipts of $25,884,000, that included $34,000,000 expenditures on the Panama Canal, which if excluded from the expenditures would show a surplus for the fiscal year of $9,402,000. But if the corporation tax receipts of $17,342,000 are deducted, and it is virtually being held in escrow until the supreme courts decide on its constitutionality, the deficit would be that much increased. Since the new fiscal year began on July 1st to the end of that month there has been a deficit of $9,593,756.58, and there is a further deficit on account of the Panama Canal of $4,240,241.26, and a total deficit of all disbursements over all receipts of $14,033,997.84. It is a fact that the month of July generally shows a deficit, because the appropriations for the new fiscal year become available; but the deficit would be much larger if it were not for the revenue from the corporation tax, and the Taft administration would be facing a bond issue or a resort to certificates of indebtedness. It is no secret in Washington that the condition of the National finances is a source of worry to the treasury officials, and it is expected that the receipts from the tariff duties will not fulfill the boasting of the Ohio platform.—Kinston Free Press.

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R. A. P. Cooley May Oppose E. W. Pou—Shooting Affair in Nash.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Nashville, N. C., Aug. 9.—There is a rumor in and around Nashville that R. A. P. Cooley, Esq., of the Nashville bar, will be an independent candidate for Congress in this district against the Democratic nominee E. W. Pou, of Johnston county. Mr. Cooley states to this correspondent that he hasn't made up his mind whether or not he will make the race, but he does state that he is sure that he would be able to defeat Mr. Pou. Mr. Cooley, who is a splendid lawyer, has been a very active Democrat, and has been twice a candidate for solicitor in this district. In the recent campaign he was a candidate, being defeated by Mr. Allbrooks, of Edgecombe county. Mr. Cooley claims that his defeat was brought about by Wilson and Franklin counties, and he says that the Democrats of these counties have been very ungrateful. Mr. Cooley contends that he aided in the nomination of Judge C. M. Cooke, of Franklin county, and he was a strong friend of Judge Connor, of Wilson, and yet these two counties failed to support him in the latest contest. Mr. Cooley is popular in Nash and his Democrat friends hope he will see the error of his way before it is everlastingly too late. It is not known now whether he will make the race, but if he does there'll be interesting times ahead. His friends here say that he would only be putting himself up to be slaughtered in the November election, but Mr. Cooley seems to think otherwise. So there you are.

There was another shooting frolic among the negroes of Manning's township Saturday and as a result Minnie Evans, a 14-year-old girl, is at the point of death, and Hardy Weldon is in jail. It is claimed by the girl's father that the negro man made an improper proposal to the girl and that she said she would tell her father. She persisted in saying she would tell her father, and so the negro banged away with his shot gun. Weldon says the gun was accidentally fired and that there's nothing in the story the old negro tells. The girl has not been able to tell the facts, but there were other children about. So far there has been no preliminary hearing, the result of the girl's wound being awaited.

Life on Panama Canal has had one frightful drawback-malaria trouble—that has brought suffering and death to thousands. The germs cause chills, fever and ague, biliousness, jaundice, lassitude, weakness and general debility. But Electric Bitters never fail to destroy them and cure malaria troubles. "Three bottles completely cured me of a very severe attack of malaria," writes Wm. A. Fretwell, of Lucama, N. C., "and I've had good health ever since." Cure stomach, liver, and kidney troubles, and prevent typhoid. 50c. Guaranteed by Robt. R. Bellamy.

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WATERWAYS DELEGATES NAMED

Those to Attend Convention at Providence Latter Part of This Month. Ten Wilmington Citizens—Important Meeting.

Ten citizens to represent Wilmington at the annual convention of the Atlantic Deeper Waterways Association, which will be in progress at Providence, R. I., from August 31st to September 3rd, inclusive, were designated yesterday by the Chamber of Commerce, as a result of the waterways meeting held here during the latter part of July.

Hon. J. Hampton Moore, president of the association, in company with Congressman John H. Small, of this State, it will be recalled, recently visited Wilmington and stirred up considerable interest in the approaching meeting at Providence. There will be several large delegations from the South, among whom will be 25 delegates chosen by the Mayor of Norfolk, and other Southern cities will send their representatives.

Those from Wilmington are as follows: Mr. J. H. Chadbourn, president of the North Carolina Waterways Association; Messrs. H. G. Smallbones, M. W. Divine, Meares Harriss, C. N. Evans, J. B. Mercer, R. A. Brand, Z. W. Whitehead, B. F. Keith and Capt. Edgar D. Williams. It is expected that all of these gentlemen will attend.

Secretary Meares Harriss, of the North Carolina Waterways Association, in notifying the delegates, sent each the following letter with reference to the convention:

"August 10, 1910.

"Mr. ————, City.

"Dear Sir: The third annual convention of the Atlantic Deeper Waterways Association will take place on August 31, September 1, 2 and 3, 1910, at Providence, R. I. The rate from Wilmington for the round trip, via Norfolk and Merchants and Miners' steamship, will be $29.50, which includes stateroom and meals aboard ship, a special round trip rate having been made by the steamship company of $17.00 from Norfolk to Providence.

"The first two days will be devoted to business, the remainder of the time being spent in the enjoyment of the entertainment to be afforded by the citizens of Providence, chief among which will be a naval review, a Rhode Island clam bake, a visit to Newport and Narragansett, and many other diversions of like nature. Some of the most prominent speakers in the country will address the gathering, the President of the United States having been invited to deliver the principal address.

"We have been requested to secure a delegation for this meeting, and we trust that you may be able to attend as a representative from this State, taking advantage of the low rates and the delightful sea trip, and receiving at the same time the great benefit to be derived in mingling with some of the foremost men of affairs in the United States. Further information will be furnished if desired.

"Very truly yours,
"MEARES HARRISS,
"Secretary North Carolina Waterways Association."

GROWING IN FAVOR.

Cooking Demonstrations in New Woolvin Building In Progress.

At the cooking demonstrations yesterday, in the Woolvin building, the largest crowd that has ever assembled in the South at an affair of this kind, witnessed the preparation of the different menus by Mrs. Whitted. In the afternoon, over 150 people attended the demonstration. This will set a pace for other cities, and judging from the growth in attendance for past few days, this record will be eclipsed today and the balance of the week.

The Lady Baltimore Cake, that originated in Charleston some years ago, was baked by Mrs. Whitted, and the recipe (as simplified by her) was given those present, and this, possibly the most difficult of all cakes to bake, will be gracing Wilmington tables for time to come. All of the menus prepared by her are simplified, and any one can master them with little effort.

The demonstrations today will be: At 4:30 P. M. Beef and Potato Roll. Brown Sauce. Tea Biscuits. At 8:30 P. M. Deviled Potatoes Black Cake. The demonstrations will not be held in the mornings, as heretofore, as the menus to be prepared the balance of the week will, no doubt, take a little more time for preparation. Efforts are being made by the gas company to retain Mrs. Whitted for next week, and should they succeed, private home demonstrations, and informal demonstrations at the present building will be given.

The Elevated Gas Range to be given away Saturday night still attracts the crowds attending, and its disposal will be watched with interest.

TOWN CREEK SPEAKING.

Congressman Godwin Engaged Elsewhere—Appointments Announced.

On account of being engaged with his interests in connection with the meeting of the special committee to investigate the Congressional situation at Wrightsville Beach tonight, Congressman Godwin finds it impossible to fill the appointments previously made to speak in Town Creek township, Brunswick county, in the interest of the good roads movement there. The appointments, however, will be filled by other speakers and advocates of good roads in the township. The appointments today are: Bolivia at noon, Mill Creek at 4 P. M. and Funston at 8 P. M. Friday at noon at Town Creek, William J. Bellamy, Esq., will speak in the interest of the bond issue soon to be voted upon.

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ODD FELLOWS OF HIGH DEGREE

Grand Encampment Sessions Concluded at Fayetteville—Election of Officers—Raleigh Next Year.

Messrs. John E. Wood and W. L. Smith, of Campbell Encampment No. 1, I. O. O. F., returned last night from Fayetteville, N. C., where they have been attending the 63rd annual session of the Grand Encampment of North Carolina, which came to a close last evening with the conferring of the Golden Rule and Royal Purple Degrees by a picked team.

The returning representatives say that the Grand Encampment was royally entertained by Pine Encampment No. 3, of Fayetteville, and that nothing was left undone for the pleasure and comfort of the visitors. Raleigh won the next convention after a spirited contest between Wilmington, Shelby, Franklin and Durham, at the last moment Wilmington having withdrawn in favor of Shelby. Wilmington, however, was honored in the selection of one of its representatives, Mr. John E. Wood, as Grand Treasurer. Mr. Wood is one of the most enthusiastic and constant Odd Fellows in the State and the honor of his election to one of the most important of the Grand offices is an honor worthily bestowed.

The Grand Encampment was called to order at 5:30 P. M. Tuesday evening by Grand Patriarch Gilmore Ward Bryant, of Durham. The address of welcome was by Dr. W. S. Jordan, of Pine Encampment No. 3, and the response by W. C. Allen, of Waynesville. After the afternoon session the Grand Encampment took a recess until 8:30 P. M. when the Patriarchial degree was conferred by a picked team. Yesterday Raleigh was chosen as the next place of meeting and the third Tuesday in August 1911 as the date. The following officers were elected:

Grand Patriarch—W. C. Allen, Waynesville.

Grand High Priest—R. P. Clingman, Winston-Salem.

Grand Senior Warden—D. Gaster, Fayetteville.

Grand Scribe—R. H. Ramsey, Charlotte.

Grand Treasurer—John E. Wood, Wilmington.

Grand Junior Warden—E. B. Stradley, Asheville.

Grand Marshal—K. Kendall, Shelby.

Grand Sentinel—E. W. Chadwick, Kinston.

Outside Sentinel—S. H. Lyle, Franklin.

Grand Representatives—W. L. Smith, Wilmington; Gilmore Ward Bryant, of Durham.

DANCE AT CAROLINA BEACH.

Interesting Trip on Steamer Wilmington This Evening at 7:45.

Young people of the city will be interested and pleased to know that an enjoyable dance has been arranged in the pavilion at Carolina Beach for tonight and that a large number will be in attendance. There will be music and a good time for all. On account of the dance the steamer will leave at 7:45 o'clock and will return ta "one dozen" in the language of Capt Harper who has arranged the trip for the young people. The evenings on the boat are delightful and the dance will be one of the most enjoyable of the season at this popular resort. The fare is only 25 cents for the round trip and all are invited.

Steamer Wilmington Schedule.

On account of a large colored excursion which Capt. J. Cullen Jones will bring from Hamlet on Friday, the steamer Wilmington will not make the usual 2:30 p. m. trip to Carolina Beach. Passengers are asked to take note of this cancellation of the trip for the one day only, and govern themselves accordingly.

Bound Over to Higher Court.

Jim Edwards, the negro who recently set fire to the city prison, the act being discovered just in the nick of time by Policeman Frank George, was given a hearing in the Recorder's Court yesterday and was bound over to Superior Court under a bond of $150. Edwards made no statement as to the fire, further than that he was drunk and did not know what had transpired.

Back From Belmont.

Rev. G. A. Martin, pastor of Southside Baptist Church, has returned from Belmont, N. C., where he has just concluded a great meeting, during which there were 41 additions to the church. Mr. Martin assisted the pastor, Rev. J. L. Shinn, in the series of services. He was cordially welcomed by members of his church at the regular prayer meeting service last night.

Enjoyed Social Evening.

Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Smith, No. 612 Wooster street, Tuesday evening most acceptably entertained the Loyal Workers of Front Street Advent Church. There were a large number in attendance, and refreshments were served by the ladies of the society.

RALEIGH BROKER SUICIDES.

Hung Himself to Door Facing—Drinking and Despondent.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 10.—Charles W. Young, a well known broker here, committed suicide tonight by hanging himself from the door facing of his room at his home on Polk street. He was found about 10 o'clock, already dead. He had been drinking quite heavily and was despondent. He was 65 years old, and leaves a widow and three children, Charles W. Young, Atlanta; Mrs. Norfleet Stronach and Miss Ethel Young.

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MURDER AND ARSON MAY BE CHARGED

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introducing Mr. Edward Cromwell. Mr. Robbins produced some papers and submitted a transfer insurance blank which, Mr. Robbins said, had been filled out by him. Mr. Holly was present at the time. Mr. Robbins had filled the blank, with the exception of the notary part. He said that it was a transfer from Edward Cromwell to J. C. Holly. I only acted as notary public. Cromwell was identified as the right man by Robbins, and Holly and I filled out my part of the certificate. J. C. McKoy entered the office then. He walked away a short distance. I signed the certificate, and Cromwell said he signed the paper of his own volition. Mr. Holly paid the fee in two dimes and a nickel. I handed the paper to Mr. Robbins, and later Holly asked if the paper could be changed, so if he died first the amount of the policy would revert to Cromwell. I replied by saying that 'this is a printed form and I haven't scrutinized the paper carefully. It set out a complete transfer and release by Cromwell to assignee Holly. I told Holly the desired change could not be made, as it was a transfer from Cromwell to him (Holly). Before I could say anything further Mr. Robbins said, 'Mr. Holly wants to make a will to Cromwell; could he do that?' I said, 'Yes, you can will life insurance, like any other property.' Mr. Holly then spoke and said that he wanted to pay the insurance (premium) for the boy and that he wanted to have it fixed so that if he (Holly) should die before Cromwell, that the insurance would revert to the insured. He then said that as Mr. Robbins suggested, he thought it best to make a will. I replied, 'Very well.' He then said, 'As you have transacted this business for us, I want to get you to write the will for me. I want it done this week, sure, but I haven't got the time this afternoon.' Before they went away Mr. Robbins gathered the papers and placed them in an envelope, the policy being among the number. Holly then took out his pocket book and had some silver. He offered Robbins a piece of money to pay postage, saying that he had paid everything else, and might as well pay that also. He laughed as he said this. Robbins refused to take the money, saying the postage was all right. Holly again offered to pay the postage, but Robbins said it only cost four cents, which he would pay." The witness decided on Tuesday night to leave yesterday, and called to see Holly, who was sitting on his door steps at Rock Springs Hotel, about 10 o'clock Tuesday night, to tell him that if he wanted the will arranged this week, to come to his (Scull's) office at 2 p. m. Wednesday. He stated that Mr. Robbins was there at the time. Holly stated that he would be at witness's office at the appointed hour. Witness talked a few minutes and then took his departure. He did not know anything about the matter, in any way whatsoever, until he saw the account of the fire in The Morning Star yesterday morning, he testified.

When Mr. Scull concluded his testimony, Dr. W. D. MacMillan, county superintendent of health, who, with Drs. Hughes and Langley, of the James Walker Memorial Hospital, performed an autopsy on the body of Cromwell, stated that he was ready to make his report. He made an oral report, but stated that he would have his remarks put in typewritten form, to be incorporated in the record of the proceedings. The most important feature of the report of Dr. MacMillan was that the young man was burned before he died, the condition of the skin showing this to be a fact beyond chance of cavil, stated the physician. There were no evidences of violence. The stomach was distended one-third its normal size, while the lungs were congested. There was a slight abrasion of the chin, stated the physician, but this could have been caused by beating on the floor or by coming in contact with something else, he said. Dr. MacMillan said that the skin would peel off when the body was handled, and had not the young man been burned before he died, the skin would have adhered to the body. The physician explained that the distension of the stomach and the congestion of the lungs may have been caused by smoke. There were evidences of burns and scalds on the left side, from the knee to the scalp. Dr. MacMillan commented upon the healthy and fully developed condition of the lungs and stomach, as shown by the examination. The young man was fully developed in every way. Dr. MacMillan reiterated several times in positive terms that the boy was burned before he died. In reply to a question relative to the use of narcotics, the physician stated that only a chemical analysis would show this, and that he was not a chemist. However, it is not thought that a chemical analysis could show the use of chloroform, but most any other drug would be detected.

It was stated by County Attorney Bellamy and Coroner Bell that there were no funds for having a chemical analysis, and the matter of having the analysis made ws discussed for some minutes, it being finally decided that, although the county and State did not make provision for this work, it would be well to preserve in alcohol the contents of the stomach, the suggestion being made that the life insurance company would very likely desire to have the analysis made for its own protection. Accordingly Dr. MacMillan ordered some alcohol, and in the presence of the jury placed the contents of the stomach in a glass jar and sealed it. The jar was later placed in the vault in the Register of Deeds' office, where it will remain until called for today by Coroner Bell.

After t he report of Dr. MacMillan, adjournment was taken to the court room, where examination of witnesses was continued. Mr. R. A. Matthews, an aged man, who was a guest at the hotel Tuesday night, before he had much to do with the investigation into the circumstances surrounding the death of the young man, was the first witness. He testified in substance as follows:

Struggle as if for Breath.

"I was late in going in Tuesday night; it was something after 10 o'clock. I have stopped for a night or two at the Rock Springs Hotel, but took my meals at a cafe for the most part. As I entered the hotel Tuesday night I saw a young lady and gentlemen on the steps talking. I spoke, and they returned the salutation. I saw Holly standing in the parlor door, but did not stop to speak to him. I went to my room, No. 8, on the south side of the hotel. I undressed, but did not retire until about 11 o'clock. Shortly after turning out the light, before I had fallen to sleep, I heard an unusual noise just outside my room. It sounded as if some one was in great distress. My first thought was to get up and investigate, but presently I heard a voice which sounded like that of Mr. Holly. I listened more closely, and I heard a sound as if one sniffed his nose. I was certain then that it was Mr. Holly, because he has this habit. I rested easy then, for I felt sure that if Mr. Holly needed my assistance he would call me. With that thought in mind, I turned over and went back to sleep. I did not know anything else until about 2:20 this morning."

Here the witness was asked several questions about the noise early in the night, and his answers, in substance, follow: 'The sound was as if some one struggling for breath. I cannot describe the noise, for I never heard anything like it before. It appeared to come from the room just above the one in which it is said the boy was found. I heard something fall to the floor. I did not hear any loud talking, and, though I distinctly heard two voices, I could not understand what they were saying. There were at least two persons outside where the sound came from."

Returning to the point where he left off when the questions were asked, the witness said: "When I was awakened at 2:20 I heard something that sounded like an explosion of a lamp. I lay quiet for a few seconds, and then I heard a cracking noise like a fire. Looking over the transom I saw a light, and knew that the building was on fire. I opened my door, and the room adjoining the one in which the lad was found was ablaze. I heard a glass in the adjoining room fall. I took my bowl of water and attempted to put out the fire. I soon realized that I could not cope with the situation. I gave the alarm before attempting to put out the fire. Holly answered me in a different part of the house. He was dressed, and wore a white apron, as usual, as I remember. I do not know who occupied the room in which the fire started. I was struggling for breath myself before I got out of the building. After t he firemen arrived some one brought me a ladder, and I went out on this. I went to a restaurant and dressed, returning to the hotel some 20 minutes later. Some time after the body was found I went to Holly and asked him about the noise I heard about 11 o'clock, and Holly replied that he was having one of his usual spells and that was the noise heard. No mention was made of the boy. Two ladies stayed at the hotel last night. One works for a city laundry, and the other is a solicitor for magazines

"In my haste, I left my glasses and a photograph in my room, and I went down this morning to try to find them. I met Holly and told him about losing the glasses. I described the glasses to him and he gave them to me, saying that they had been found by a fireman. I found the photograph in the room later. Some time after this, while talking with some friends on the street, Holly came up and explained again his condition last night and recalling several incidents connected therewith. He said that he was subject to spells, and that he had one Tuesday night. He expressed deep regret over the death of the boy."

The witness stated that he had known Holly for some time, and in reply to a question stated that he had never before heard of him having spells such as the one described on Tuesday night.

Captain Monroe Testifies.

Capt. W. P. Monroe, assistant chief of the fire department, was the next witness and his testimony tended very strongly to strengthen the theory that there had been foul play. His testimony in substance was as follows:

"An alarm of fire was turned in this morning at 2:36 from box 25, corner Front and Grace streets. The fire was located at No. 8 Chesnut street. Arriving at the building from which smoke was issuing in volumes, I heard halloaing from the windows on the third floor of the structure. We put up ladders and got them out on the Chesnut street side. I sent men to the back side with a ladder, w....e I went in the front of the building where a stream of water was being thrown by Hose Company, No. 1. The firemen on back side came out, saying that they could not stay there on account of the heat and smoke. The stream was taken out and put in the kitchen part of building. Then it was taken to top floor of building. I went to the back side where I found Chief Schnibben, who called for another line of hose. I returned then to front part of building, put ladder to top window and went up there with line of hose; returning in a few minutes and met Mr. Holly who asked, 'Have you seen anything of my boy?' I asked what boy and he replied, 'The one in room No. 4. He told me where No. 4 was and I stated that I would find the boy if he was in there. I started at once for the room and while in the hall met Chief Schnibben and told him about the boy in No. 4. I opened the door, which was not locked nor bolted, and the steam gushed out so badly that the chief and I went to the window on the western passage—toward the river and opposite room No. 8. The chief knocked the glass out of the window, which was closed down. We then returned to the door and went inside the room, finding the lifeless body of the boy.

"The body was lying with head toward the south and feet toward the north, flat on his back, with hands folded across his chest and thumbs drawn between the fingers. I walked across the street and told Holly the boy was in the building, but dead. I went back to the room. Chief Schnibben, Firemen Farrow and Frost were there. The two firemen took the body which was cold and stiff, to a front room.

"The room was hot; there was no fire, but the ceiling near the head of body was burned through and embers had fallen on the body. There was a bruise on the side of the head, about the temple, and a scar on the chin.

"The body was lying on the floor clad in night clothes, except that he had on his socks. From the appearance of the bed it had not been disturbed during the night. Under the head of the youth were rags, or pieces of a counterpane, which had been saturated with kerosene oil. The body was lying parallel with the bed, but the boy's head was just opposite the pillow on the bed. The mattress on the bed was saturated with kerosene oil. No broken lamp was found, but an empty oil can was found in an adjoining room. There was an electric light in the room. The oil can looked as if it would hold about two gallons. I understand that the chief also found an oil can, but, of course, I do not know as to this. The odor of kerosene oil was strong in the room. About 40 minutes elapsed from the time the alarm was turned in and the finding of the body.

"I told Holly that if he had told me when I first arrived that the boy was thought to be in the building I would gotten him out at once, and Holly replied that he thought the boy was out; that he had to get his aged mother out safely. It was after the body was found that the stream of water was carried to the third floor of the building."

Upon the conclusion of the examination of Captain Monroe the jury took a recess until 9 o'clock this morning when it will resume its investigations. It is understood that a number of other witnesses have been summoned to testify before the jury and that some important links in the chain of circumstantial evidence will be developed this morning. Chief Schnibben, who has been conducting a careful investigation, will probably testify today and it was intimated at the hearing yesterday that his testimony will be very material.

Two Handkerchiefs Found.

Two handkerchiefs, smelling highly of kerosene oil, alleged to have been found yesterday afternoon between the mattress and springs at the foot of the bed in the room of Cromwell, were exhibited to the jury, but there was no testimony bearing on this discovery. Coroner Bell and several others stated informally that the handkerchiefs had been saturated with oil and they were still damp. The handkerchiefs will probably be put in evidence today. This is regarded as a rather important find, as it tends to bear out the contention of arson.

The building is an old brick structure, partly three stories in height, located at No. 8 Chestnut street, directly in the rear of the Southern National Bank building, and was used at one time as an inn in the earlier days of Wilmington. When the fire broke out yesterday morning it was occupied by J. C. Holly and his mother, his wife being dead, and several guests, who were asleep up to the time of the discovery of the fire at 2:30 a. m. The first intimation of the fire were screams and shouting from the neighborhood of the scene, and within a few moments the fire alarm called out the departments, the firemen rushing to the burning structure with all possible haste, and were just in time to save two or three guests. The screams just preceding the alarm were heard for three blocks and awakened a large number of people within that territory. When the firemen arrived smoke was issuing in great volumes, and two or three guests, wild with fright, were calling for help from the windows. Ladders were promptly placed and the men were rescued.

Holly is about 40 years old, and has been living in Wilmington some time, and has been proprietor of the Rock Springs Hotel for more than a year. He is a native of Wayne county, to which place he expected to remove in a few days, having already shipped a portion of his household articles. There are several persons in Wilmington to whom he has been known for a long number of years, and they refuse to believe him capable of committing the crime for which he has been arrested. They point out the fact that he was a very religious man, and always condemned crime of all kinds and description. They are convinced that if Holly is guilty that he is not alone responsible for the death of the boy. Holly formerly conducted a restaurant at Front street market, and lived for a time in Brunswick county, where he is said to have been a preacher of the Holiness sect.

Edward Cromwell was 19 years old and is said to have recently come here from an orphan asylum in Charleston, S. C. He had been employed around the hotel as a cook, waiter and man of all work, and the fact that so large a policy was taken out on the life of one in such humble circumstances and not related to Holly, adds to the suspicious circumstances. The man who has been arrested is about 40 years old ,as stated, and the age of the youth was 19 years, so that the payment of the premium by a man of that age on the life of a person with the expectancy of many years to live, contributes another feature that is hard to explain.

The fire ws a stubborn one to fight, and it was nearly 4:30 o'clock when the firemen ceased their efforts and returned to their quarters.

Early yesterday morning it became noised about that there was a probability of murder and arson having been committed. Several persons visited the scene of the fire and talked with those who knew of incidents tending to show that the suspicions were well founded. As a matter of precaution, Officers Moore and Applebury and Fireman Alonzo Burriss were instructed to shadow Holly during the morning, lest he leave the city, owing to the rumors involving him. The officers never lost sight of the man for a moment, and when Constable Savage went to serve the warrant on Holly he looked for the officers instead of Holly, knowing that where he found the "detectives" he would also find the man wanted, or at least he would not be far away. Holly was located about Thirteenth street, having gone there on business. The warrant issued for him charges that "J. C. Holly did maliciously, deliberately and premeditately murder and kill one Edward Cromwell." The witnesses named are: J. H. Scull, Esq., Miss Cora Caudle, Miss Virginia Elwell, Dick Kannady, H. E. Robbins, Messrs. Bradshaw and Boylan, of the Virginia Life Insurance Company.

When the coroner's jury has finished and made its report the evidence will be turned over to Justice Harriss, who will hold the preliminary investigation, using the statements of witnesses before t he coroner's jury as a part of the evidence upon which to determine whether or not there is probable cause. He will also put on such other witnesses as he may have. The witnesses who were examined before the coroner's jury yesterday were recognized for their appearance at the September term of Suprior Court.

Holly is very frail, tall and slender, and is said to have been in very poor health for some years, being a sufferer from indigestion and other troubles. He wore a very dejected look when placed in the county jail yesterday afternoon. His wife died about a year ago, and since that time his mother has been living with him. He expected to move either this week or next to his old home in Wayne county.

A lifelong friend of Holly stated that Holly told him one day last week that Cromwell's father, a prominent man, resided in Wilmington, and that the lad was brought to Wilmington by this man. The understanding between the two was that the lad was to stay with Holly for his board and clothing, but said this man, Holly stated that the boy was not even earning his board, and therefore the stranger who brought the lad to him agreed to provide him with clothing, which he is said to have done. How much there is in this statement is not known, it being given merely for what it is worth.

Holly is quoted as speaking to friends yesterday in a most sorrowful way of the sad death of Cromwell, and tears were frequently seen rolling from his cheeks as he talked of

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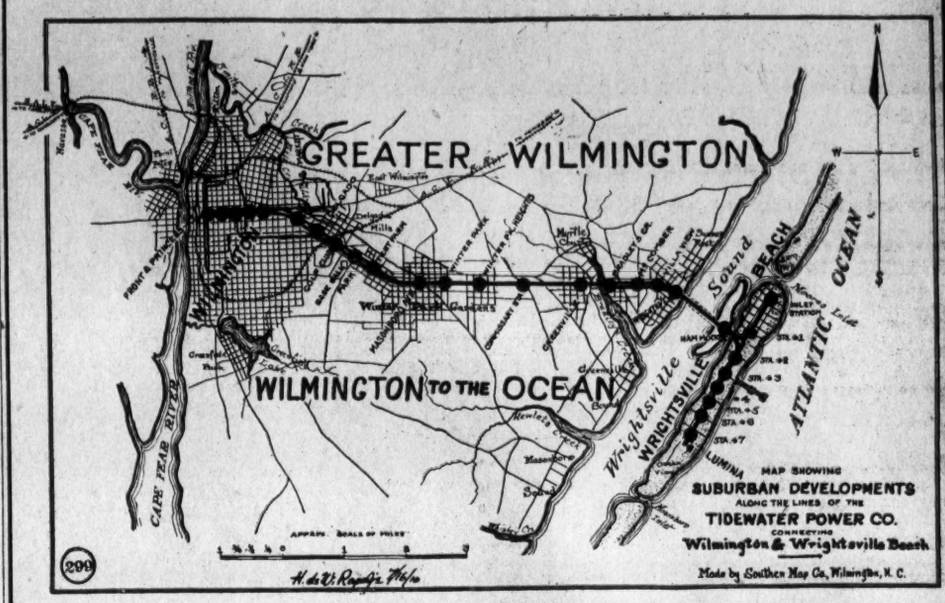

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SOCIETY

Mrs. A. E. Sykes and child returned yesterday from a visit of two weeks' to relatives in Durham.

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Mrs. H. McC. Stanford and children are spending the month of August in the mountains near Hendersonville, N. C.

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Misses Carrie and Ellie White and Miss Rosa Herring left last evening for Asheville, where they will spend several weeks.

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Miss Mabel Charles-Craft has gone to Haverford, Pa., where she will remain until September 1st, visiting relatives and friends.

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Mrs. E. H. Sneed and daughter, Miss Ray Sneed, have gone to Atlanta, Ga., to spend the remainder of the Summer with relatives and friends.

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Mrs. L. P. Fowler, accompanied by Mrs. Thomas H. Platt, of Montgomery, Ala., is visiting Mrs. Fowler's brother, in Sumter, S. C., for a few days.

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Mrs. Lee D. Hamacher, of Kansas City, will arrive this evening and will spend some time as the guest of her sister, Mrs. Clarence Mattingly, No. 401 South Sixth street.

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Complimentary to her guests, Misses Lillie Henderson, of Charleston, and Mary Crabtree, of Newbern, Miss Bessie Fergus gave a delightful boating trip on the river Tuesday evening. There were eight couples of young people, and the evening was thoroughly enjoyed by all in attendance, who voted Miss Fergus a most charming hostess.

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Complimentary to Miss Guelva Elliott, of Greensboro, and Messrs. Robert Hainsworth, Irving Shaw and Leon LeGrand, of Sumter, S. C., Misses Maie and Bessie Whitney, gave a delightful "Bijou Party" Tuesday afternoon. After the show the guests repaired to the home of the hostesses where dainty refreshments were served on the verandas.

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Prof. Heman Shaw returned yesterday from a visit to Sampson county, and is now at the home of his parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. M. Shaw, 422 Ann street. Prof. Shaw was recently elected principal of the Wilmington High School, and will be in Wilmington until the opening of the schools. The selection of Prof. Shaw as principal of the school is a wise and happy one, and he will receive an enthusiastic welcome from patrons of this fine old institution.

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The Willing Workers of Southside Baptist Church on Tuesday night at an enthusiastic meeting elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, Miss Fannie Holton; Vice President, Miss Ophelia Pearson; Secretary, Miss Berta Stanland; Assistant Secretary, Mr. Rowland Potter; Treasurer, Miss Flossie Marshbanks; Assistant Treasurer, Mr. Carl Marshburn. The society of young people is doing good work and is to be congratulated.

BAILEY FOR PRESIDENCY

Endorsed by Democrats at Texas Convention Yesterday.

Galveston, Texas, Aug. 10.—After endorsing United States Senator Jos. W. Bailey for the Democratic nomination for President in 1912 and nominating a full State ticket, headed by Oscar B. Colquitt, for Governor, and A. B. Davidson for Lieutenant Governor, the Democratic State Convention adjourned tonight. Both Colquitt and Davidson are anti-prohibitionists, notwithstanding the fact that the party declared in favor of the submission of a prohibition amendment to the platform.

A declaration favoring the submission of amendment was included in the platform adopted.

J. S. Williams, also an anti-prohibition was elected chairman of the State Executive Committee.

The platform is favorable to Colquitt and upholds Senator Bailey in his course. The following plank as regards the tariff was adopted.

"We reaffirm the tariff of the Democratic and National platforms of 1896, and we expressly condemn the proposition to remove all duties from the manufacturers raw material; long as such duties remain on the manufacturers finished products."

A minority of the platform committee, of which Cone Johnson, one of the prohibitionist candidates for Governor recently defeated, was introduced, but it was defeatted. It reaffirmed the Denver platform as to the tariff.

The remainder of the State ticket follows: Attorney General, Jewell P. Lightfoot; State Treasurer Sam Sparks; Comptroller, W. P. Lane; Railroad Commissioner (regular term) Wm. D. Williams; and Commissioner, J. T. Robinson; superintendent of Public Instruction, F. M. Bralley; Commissioner of Agriculture, Ed. R. Cone; Judge Court of Criminal Appeals, A. J. Harper; Associate Justice Supreme Court, T. J. Brown; United States Senator, Charles A. Culberson.

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PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. L. McNeill, of Burgaw, spent yesterday in Wilmington.

—Mr. R. T. Windley returned yesterday from a two weeks' business and pleasure trip to New York and other points in the North.

ARRESTED FOR FORGERY

Negro Woman Nabbed on Serious Charge—Hearing Tomorrow.

Henrietta Hill, colored, who lives on Princess, between 11th and 12th streets, was arraigned in Justice Harriss' court yesterday afternoon on the charge of forgery preferred against her by Mr. R. E. Blake, in whose family she was formerly employed as a servant. The hearing was continued until tomorrow. The woman is charged with forging the name of Mr. Blake to an order on Miss Cora Mott, at 10th and Princess streets, for a pair of slippers. She admitted, it is said, that she had a part in writing the order. She claims to have had the assistance of a negro man. While in the justice's office yesterday afternoon she was served with another warrant, this charging her with the larceny of a ring and other articles from Mrs. Blake. Both cases will be investigated tomorrow.

LOCAL DOTS.

—Knight's excursion to Columbia, S. C., returned to the city a little after 4 o'clock yesterday morning. The train left Monday, and carried 1,577 passenges, most of whom were colored.

—At the Bijou today will be shown "The Peacemaker," a comedy drama of exquisite tinting; two young hearts that are made to beat as one by an old head, with but a single thought for both, and "After Many Years." Both are excellent pictures and will doubtless be seen with interest.

—Conductor Parker, of the Tidewater Power Co., last night on the city line a package of suburban tickets, about 44 in number. They were probably left on the car or in the street. He would thank any one to return the tickets to the Tidewater offices as they represent a personal loss to him unless found.

—Deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows: A. W. Pate and wife and C. C. Chadbourn, trustee, to John D. Bender, for $10 and other considerations, lots 32, 33 and 34, of Sea Gate Park, near Greenville Station; Winter Park Gardens Co. to Hannah L. Sloan, for $10 and other considerations, lots 50 and 51 of Winter Park Gardens townsite; S. M. Boatwright, commissioner, to H. F. Wilder, J. W. Freeman and H. G. Smallbones, for $14,500, property on northeast corner of Third and Chesnut streets, mention of which transfer was made in Sunday's Star.

The "bargain hunter" is no longer the woman who merely haunts the stores. She is the woman who watches the ads and goes to the stores strictly on business

MURDER AND ARSON MAY BE CHARGED

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the tragic occurrence.

The body of the young man was removed yesterday morning to the undertaking establishment of Mr. W. W. King, later taken to the hospital, where the autopsy was performed, and then returned to the undertaker to be prepared for burial, which will probably be in this city.

The developments of yesterday not only created a sensation in Wilmington the like of which has not been known in years, but there was, more or less interest throughout the country, newspapers from New York as far South as Charleston ordering special stories, while the Associated Press carries a full account.

The office of Insurance Commissioner Young was notified yesterday of the fire and the suspicious circumstance, and Mr. W. A. Scott, the assistant insurance commissioner, is expected to arrive here this morning. The Greensboro Life Insurance Company may also take a hand in the investigation and send a special representative here today, or secure the services of a Wilmington attorney to carry on the investigation for the company.

THE HONDURAS UPRISING.

Dispatches Convey News of Serious Situation—Overthrown.

Washington, Aug. 10.—Dispatches received here today from two distinct sources were interpreted in official circles as indicating the complete overthrow of the uprising in Honduras, by which former President Bonilla hoped to usurp the Davilla government.

This conclusion was reached when, following a dispatch from the United States minister to Guatamala to the State Department announcing the arrival of Gen. Lee Christmas at Guatemala City, and the expected arrival there of Bonilla. A second dispatch to the Guatemalan legation conveyed the information that 70 Honduran revolutionists had been captured on Guatemalan soil, and was being detained as prisoners at the capital. The second dispatch was signed by President Estrada Cabrera, of Gautemala, and set forth that the revolutionists, with their chiefs, were taken while trying to land from small boats.

The fact that Lee Christmas is probably among the prisoners is strengthened by the dispatch from the ministers. Christmas is the most noted soldier of fortune in Central America, and was the principal leader chosen by Bonilla in his projected campaign. If Bonilla seeks to join Christmas in the Guatemalan capital, it was said at the legation of that country tonight he will be prisoned with the others.

The State Department and the Bureau of American Republics are keeping a watchful eye on the outcome of the situation. It is not denied that it is fraught with serious possibilities.

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WICKERSHAM RE-ELECTED

Congressional Delegate From Alaska. A Bitter Campaign.

Juneau, Alaska, Aug. 10.—James Wickersham yesterday was re-elected Congressional Delegate from Alaska by a plurality estimated at from 1,500 to 2,000. The exact figures will not be known for several days as many precincts are isolated.

Orr, who had the support of National Committeeman L. H. Shackelford appears to have led only in the territory about Cordova, where it was conceded he was strongest.

O'Connor, the labor candidate, polled a light vote. The campaign that ended with yesterday's election was one of the most bitter that has been waged in Alaska, where the political situation is always in a turmoil. The Wickersham followers charged Orr with being a Guggenheim man to which organization Orr replied that Wickersham himself had only sought employment from the Guggenheims as an attorney.

CRIPPEN GOES BACK SOON.

Papers Received Placing the British Police in Charge.

Quebec, Aug. 10.—All papers authorizing the surrender of Dr. Crippen and Miss Leneve to the British police were received today by the Provincial authorities from the Dominion Government. The order was signed by Justice Girourd, who is at Murray Bay, acting in the absence of from Ottawa of Governor General Grey and Chief Justice Fitzpatrick.

The Dominion authorities also approved the transcript of the deportation papers in the Crippen-Leneve case before the Quebec court of Special Sessions on August 1st. This completes the legal formalities necessary for the deportation of the prisoners and they may be taken back to England at any time after August 15th. There was no change in the demeanor of the two prisoners. Their jailers say they eat and sleep well. Neither received nor sent any cablegrams or telegrams today.

Norfolk, Va., Aug. 8.—The four companies of Coast Artillery, Virginia Volunteers, went into camp at Fort Monroe today for ten days practice and drill with regular coast artillerists. The battalion in command of Captain Charles A. McLean, acting major, was composed of about 175 men. They were taken to Fort Monroe on the United States mine-planter Miles.

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NEW CROP FACTOR ON MARKET

Cotton Prices Firmed Up Yesterday —Talk of Better Weather in Texas Caused Slight Recessions— Close Was Steady.

New York, Aug. 10.—Talk of better weather in Texas caused slight recessions at the opening of the cotton market this morning but offerings were very well absorbed and when it was found that there had been no general rains in the Southwest, prices firmed up with the active new crop positions selling into new high ground for the movement. The close was steady at a decline of 11 points on August, but generally 6 to 11 points net higher.

The opening was steady at an advance of one point on August, but 2 to 5 points lower on later months in response to lower cables, yesterday's late forecast for showers in South Texas and the private reports of rain in North Texas. Liverpool cables indicated that reports of general rains in Texas had reached that market and had been responsible for the decline there but Liverpool firmed up as soon as the local market opened and later reflected covering by early sellers on denials of the generally rains reported. Finally there was quite a good deal of selling, by trade interests buyers, there was also considerable support from the bull leaders and after the publication of the Western belt forecast and of the official Texas details showing no rain except in the northeast part of the State, the market advancing on covering by recent sellers. August and September were comparatively quiet and slow to follow the advance, but the new crop made new high records on all positions except October and at one time showed net gains of from 14 to 15 points. August worked up to last night's close, but eased off again in the absence of bull support, while later positions reacted only slightly from the top under realizing in the last few minutes. Buying by trade interests, and spot houses were considered the feature of the day's trading and imparted a generally firm tone to the situation. A continued demand was reported for cotton from the local stock and the buying of contracts by spot people were supposed to represent hedging by mill interests.

Southern spot markets were unchanged to 1-8c higher.

Receipts of cotton at the ports today 1,287 bales against 1,461 last week and 2,234 last year. For the week 10,000 bales against 6,773 last week and 11,057 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 447 bales against 1,568 lest year and at Houston 1,720 bales against 321 last year.

Spot cotton closed quiet 5 points lower; middling uplands 15.95; middling gulf 16.20; sales 3,000 bales.

Futures opened steady and closed steady.

Month.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
August	15.58	16.00	15.80	15.88
September	14.69	14.73	14.57	14.70
October	13.79	13.94	13.79	13.89
November				13.89
December	13.64	13.83	13.63	13.79
January	13.60	13.80	13.60	13.75
February		13.63	13.63	13.76
March	13.68	13.86	13.66	13.61
April				
May	13.71	13.90	13.70	13.85
June				13.88
July	13.73			13.89

Port Movement.

Galveston—Firm, 15 1-8; net receipts 312; gross receipts 312; stock 6,157.

New Orleans—Steady, 15 1-4; net receipts 447; gross receipts 461; sales 426; stock 38,045; Great Britain 800; continent 2,050; constwise 2,122.

Mobile—Firm, 15; net receipts 3; gross receipts 3; sales 250; stock 428;.

Savannah—Quiet, 15.1-2; net receipts 423; gross receipts 423; stock 7,886.

Charleston—Nominal; gross receipts 1,008; stock 1,376.

Wilmington—Nominal; stock 119.

Norfolk—Steady, 15 3-4; net receipts 2; gross receipts 2; stock 1,422; constwise 100.

Baltimore—Nominal, 16; stock 1,372.

New York—Quiet, 15.95; gross receipts 240; sales 3,000; stock 185,832; constwise 100.

Boston—Quiet, 15.95; net receipts 100; gross receipts 370; stock 3,862.

Philadelphia—Steady, 16.20; stock 1,654.

Total today, at all ports, net receipts 1,787; Great Britain 800; Continent 2,050; stock 250,311.

Consolidated, at all ports, net receipts 3,907; Great Britain 8,310; France 10,055; Continent 11,213.

Total since September 1st, at all ports, net receipts 7,301,2221; Great Britain 3,236,011; France 906,838; Continent 2,628,803; Japan 93,442; Mexico 13,824.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Steady, 15 1-8; net receipts 1,720; gross receipts 1,720; shipments 1,548; sales 43; stock 9,639.

Augusta—Nominal; 15 7-8; net receipts 77; gross receipts 77; shipments 700; sales 17; stock 2,899.

Memphis—Firm, 15 5-8; net receipts 44; gross receipts 367; shipments 1,054; sales 850; stook 9,434.

St. Louis—Steady, 15 1-8; gross receipts 389; shipments 389; sales 91; stock 5,901.

Cincinnati—Net receipts 27; gross receipts 27; shipments 207; stock 7,380.

Little Rock—Quiet, 14 5-8; net receipts 117; gross receipts 117; shipments 476; stock 4,087.

Louisville—Firm, 15 1-8.

Total today—Net receipts 1,985; gross receipts 2,097; shipments 4,374; sales 1,001; stock 39,937.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Spot Dull, Prices Eight Points Lower. Sales and Futures.

Liverpool, Aug. 10.—Spot dull, prices 8 points lower. American middling fair, 8.76; good middling, 8.46; middling, 8.32; low middling, 8.22; good ordinary, 7.96; ordiary, 7.71.

The sales of the day were 5,000 bales, of which 500 were for speculation and export, and included 4,200 American. No receipts. Futures ouened quiet and closed steady. August, 8.07; August and September, 7.83; September and October, 7.46; October and November, 7.28 1-2; November and December, 7.19; December and January, 7.16; January and February, 7.15 1-2; February and March, 7.15 1-2; March and April, 7.15 1-2; April and May, 7.15; May and June, 7.15.

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BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

W. & W. Railroad—1 barrel crude turpentine.

W., C. & A. Railroad—4 casks spirits turpentine, 8 barrels rosin, 10 barrels tar, 9 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—2 casks spirits turpentine, 59 barrels rosin, 19 barrels tar.

W. & N. Railroad—4 casks spirits turpentine, 25 barrels rosin, 13 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Whitlock—18 casks spirits turpentine, 65 barrels rosin, 10 barrels crude turpentine.

Total—28 casks spirits turpentine, 157 barrels rosin, 29 barrels tar, 33 barrels crude turpentine.

THE PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, Aug. 10.—Flour quiet and easier to sell.

Rye Flour—Steady.

Corn Meal—Steady.

Rye—Dull.

Wheat—Spot easy; new No. 2 red, $1.06 1-2 elevator, and $1.07 3-4 f. o. b.; No. 1 Northern, $1.25 5-8 f. o. b. to arrive. Options closed 5-8c net lower. September $1.07 1-8; December, $1.10 1-4.

Corn—Spot firm; No. 2, 72 3-4c nominal elevator domestic basis to arrive. Options closed at 3-4c net advance. September, 71 3-4c.

Oats—Steady; mixed nominal.

Coffee—Easy. Closed steady at a net loss of 5 to 13 points. Spot quiet, Rio No. 7, 8 7-8c to 9c; Santos No. 4, 9 3-4c. Mild quiet; Cordova, 10c to 12 1-4c.

Lard—Steady.

Lard—Steady.

Tallow—Steady.

Rice—Steady.

Sugar—Raw and refined, steady.

Butter—Stronger; creamery specials, 29 1-2c; extras, 28 1-4c to 28 3-4c; third to first, 24c to 27c; State dairy, common to finest, 22c to 28c; process second to special, 25c to 26c.

Cheese—Firm; State, whole milk specials, 15c to 16 1-2c; do fancy, 14 3-4c; do average prime, 14 1-4c to 14 1-2c; do fair to good, 12 3-4c to 13 3-4c; do common, 10c to 12c; skims, full to special, 2 1-2c to 12 1-2c.

Eggs—Firm; State, Pennsylvania and nearby hennery white, 27c to 32c.

Potatoes—Steady; Jersey, per barrel, $1.60 to $1.90; Southern sweets, per barrel, $2.00 to $2.35.

Cabages—Steady, unchanged.

Peanuts—Unchanged.

Freights to Liverpool—Firmer; cotton by steam, 20c; grain by steam, 1 1-2d.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, Aug. 10.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market, steady 67 1-4 cents.

ROSIN—Market, steady $4.70 per barrel of 280 pounds.

TAR—Market firm $2.50 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market, firm $3.50 per barrel for hard; $5.00 for dip and $5.50 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine firm 44c; rosin firm $2.55; tar steady $1.60; crude turpentine firm $1.75, $2.75 and $3.50.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	28
Rosin	157
Tar	29
Crude turpentine	33

Receipts, same day last year 49 casks spirits turpentine; 234 barrels rosin; 98 barrels tar; 102 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market nominal. Quotations corresponding day last year nominal.

Receipts—bales, same day last year 13 bales.

PRODUCE MARKET.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith Aug. 6th.)

PEANUTS—North Carolina, No. 1 $1.20 to $1.25 per bushel; Spanish $1.40 and $1.50; Virginias $1.00 and $1.10.

CORN—Firm 85 to 90 per bushel.

N. C. HAMS—Dull; hams 20; shoulders and side 17c.

EGGS—18 and fresh lot 20c

CHICKENS—Spring 15 and 30; grown 50 scarce.

BEESEWAX—Firm at 28 to 27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2 to 4c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Out of season.

HIDES—Dr. flint 13c; green 7c per pound

WOOL—Burr 12 to 15c; free of burr 18 to 20c.

GEESE—Out of Season.

PORK—Out of Season.

SHEEP—Grown $1.00 to $2.50.

LAMBS—Good demand $1.50 to $3.00.

PEAS—Out of Season.

IRISH POTATOES—New crop 40 to 50c per bushel, dull.

COTTON SHOWS STRENGTH.

Encouraging Advices From Manchester—Spot Sales Reported.

(Special Star Telegram.)

New York, Aug. 10.—With encouraging advices from Manchester and increasing fear of the drought in Texas the market has shown much strength. This absence of rain is the overshadowing feature, and a flood of deterioration reports added fuel to the flames. Outside of the southwest the progress of the crop appears favorable. Early in the day the market was easy, but could not withstand the bullish reports. On the advance realizing was general, but this was insufficient to supply the demand. An increased demand for goods comes from the New England mills and good spot sales are reported in the Southwest. While prices have advanced the trade awaits more definite crop information and both buyers and sellers are cautious.

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CAUTION ON STOCK MARKET

Began to Manifest Itself in Stock Operations Yesterday—Unfavorable Events Did Not Check Disposition to Sell.

New York, Aug. 10.—A spirit of caution on the part of those who have been operating in the stock market for an advance in prices began to manifest itself in the action of the market today. The feeling was based as much on the duration and extent of the recovery as on any positive developments bearing on values. The average prices of the stocks usually selected as most representative of the whole market's movement sold this morning rather more than five points higher than two weeks ago. In the active market leaders the advance has been greater, reaching from about 10 to 13 points in a number of cases.

As the recovery has proceeded the demand to borrow stocks for delivery has diminished and today there was reported in the loan department the return of blocks of stocks which have been so borrowed for delivery.

Signs appeared of an increased disposition to sell stocks which were taken to mean that buyers at the lower prices were desirous to convert their profits into cash. The professional traders were inclined to take the selling rather than the buying side in accordance with the response of prices to testing operations. Events which were not regarded as unfavorable in themselves did not check the disposition to sell. Such was the report by the United States Steel Corporation of the tonnage of unfilled orders on hand on August 1st, which was given out today. There was shown a decrease for the month in that item of 286,863 tons. The June 30th figures showed a shrinkage of 1,144,710 tons for the quarter preceeding a monthly rate of 381,570 tons. The rate of contraction for July upon that comparison. was therefore some 100,000 tons less than in the three preceding months.

A firmer tone was reported for the market for copper both in London and New York in response to the improvement in the statistical position of that metal.

Time loans were shaded in New York today six months money being placed at 4 3-4 per cent.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales par value $1,422,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call. Total sales for the day were 447,200.

N. Y. Bonds.

U. S. ref 2s reg	100 7-8
U. S. ref. 2s cou	100 7-8
U. S. 3s reg	101 1-4
U. S. 3s cou	101 1-4
U. S. 4s reg	114 3-8
U. S. 4s cou	114 1-2
Allis Chalmers 1st 5s	73
American Agricultural 5s	101
American Tel & Tel cv 4s	100
American Tobacco 4s	78 1-2
American Tobacco 6s	106
Armour & Co. 4 1-2s	90 1-2
Atchison gen. 4s	98
Atchison cv 4s	105 1-2
Atchison cv. 5s	107 1-4
Atlantic Coast Line 1st 4s	92
Baltimore & Ohio 4s	90
Baltimore & Ohio 3 1-2s	91 3-4
Baltimore & Ohio S. W. 3 1-2s	89 1-2
Brooklyn Transit cv. 4s	92
Central of Georgia 5s	104 1-4
Central Leather 5s	98 1-4
Central R. R. of N. J. gen 5s	121
Chesapeake & Ohio 4 1-2s	100
Chesapeake & Ohio ref 4 1-2s	90 1-4
Chicago & Alton 3 1-2s	68 7-8
Chicago, B. & Q. joint 4s	95 1-8
Chicago, B. & Q. gen. 4s	98
Chicago, Mil & St. P. gen deb 4s	91 1-2
Chicago, R. I. & P. R. R. col 4s	72 1-4
Chicago, R. I. & P. Ry rfg 4s	88 1-2
Colorado Industrial 5s	70
Colorado Midland 4s	66 1-4
Colo & Southern ref. & ext 4 1-2s	95 1-2
Delaware & Hudson cv. 4s	96 1-2
Denver & Rio Grande 4s	92 7-8
Denver & Rio Grande ref 5s	90 1-2
Distillers 5s	67
Erie prior lien 4s	80 3-8
Erie gen 4s	68 1-2
Erie cv. 4s series "A"	68
Erie cv. 4s series "B"	83
General Electric cv. 5s	132
Illinois Central 1st ref 4s	96
Interborough Met 4 1-2s	78 5-8
Inter Merc Marine 4 1-2s	61
Japan 4s	89 7-8
Japan 4 1-2s	94 1-2
Kansas City Southern 1st 3s	72
Lake Shore deb. 4s (1931)	92 1-2
Louisville & Nash. Un. 4s	97 5-8
Missouri, Kan. & Texas 1st 4s	97 5-8
Mo., Kan. & Texas gen. 4 1-2s	84 1-2
Missouri Pacific 4s	77
National Rys of Mexico 4 1-2s	93 1-2
New York Central gen. 3 1-2s	87 3-4
New York Central deb. 4s	93 1-4
N. Y., N. H. & Hartford 4s	131 1-2
Norfolk & Western 1st con. 4s	97 7-8
Norfolk & Western cv. 4s	98
Northern Pacific 4s	100
Northern Pacific 3s	71
Oregon Short Line rfdg 4s	91 1-2
Penn. cv. 3 1-2s (1915)	95 1-4
Penn. con. 4s	102
Reading gen. 4s	98
St. Louis & San Fran. fg 4s	79 1-2
St. Louis & San Fran. gen. 5s	85 1-2
St. Louis S'western con. 4s	72 1-2
St. Louis S'western 1st gold 4s	88
Seaboard Air Line 5s adj	70
Southern Pacific col 4s	89
Southern Pacific cv 4s	97 5-8
Southern P. R. R. 1st ref. 4s	93 3-4
Southern Railway 5s	104 1-2
Southern Railway gen. 4s	74
Union Pacific 4s	100 1-4
Union Pacific cv. 4s	104 1-8
Union Pacific 1st and ref 4s	96
U. S. Rubber 6s	102
U. S. Steel 2nd 5s	102 3-4
Virginia Car. Chemical 5s	98 3-4
Wabash 1st 5s	108
Wabash 1st and ext 4s	82 1-2
Western Md. 4s	83
Westinghouse Electric cv. 5s	87
Wisconsin Central 4s	91 1-2

Closing Stock List.

Allis Chalmers pfd	26
Amalgamated Copper	85 5-8
American Agricultural	48
American Beet Sugar	33 1-2
American Can	8 3-4
American Car & Foundry	46
American Cotton Oil	58 1-2
American Hide & Leather pfd	26 1-2
American Ice Securities	19
American Linseed	12 1-2
American Locomotive	36
American Smelting & Refng	87 3-4
Amer. Smelting & Ref'ng pfd	102
American Steel Foundries	44
American Sugar Refining	118
American Tel & Tel	132 3-4
American Tobacco pfd	92
American Woolen	27 1-4
Anaconda Mining Co.	39 3-4
Atchison	98
Atchison pfd	99 1-2
Atlantic Coast Line	120
Baltimore & Ohio	107 3-8
Bethleham Steel	24
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	75 1-4
Canadian Pacific	186 7-8
Central Leather	34 1-4
Central Leather pfd	104
Central of New Jersey	200
Chesapeake & Ohio	73
Chicago & Alton	39 7-8
Chicago Great Western	23 3-4
Chicago Great Western pfd	44 1-2
Chicago & Northwestern	143
Chicago, Mil & St. Paul	123 1-2
C., C. C. & St. Louis	73 1-2
Colorado Fuel & Iron	29
Colorado & Southern	52
Consolidated Gas	129
Corn Products	14 1-8
Delaware & Hudson	160
Denver & Rio Grande	30
Denver & Rio Grande pfd	71
Distillers' Securities	28 1-2
Erie	24 3-4
Erie 1st pfd	41 1-2
Erie 2nd pfd	31
General Electric	143
Great Northern pfd	124 1-2
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	53
Illinois Central	130 3-4
Interborough Met	16 5-8
Interborough Met pfd	46 1-4
Inter Harvester	92
Inter Marine pfd	15 1-2
International Paper	10
International Pump	40
Iowa Central	16
Kansas City Southern	28 1-4
Kansas City Southern pfd	60 3-4
Laclede Gas	101 7-8
Louisville & Nashville	138
Minneapolis & St. Louis	23
Minn., St. P. & Sault St. M.	129 1-2
Missouri, Kansas & Texas	32
Missouri, Kansas & Texas pfd	62 1-2
Missouri Pacific	50 1-2
National Biscuit	108
National Lead	51 1-2
Nat'l Rys. of Mexico 2nd pfd	28 3-8
New York Central	112 3-4
New York, Ontario & Western	40 1-2
Norfolk & Western	96 1-4
North American	67 1-2
Northern Pacific	115
Pacific Mail	25
Pennsylvania	120
People's Gas	105 1-8
Pittsburg, C. C. & St. Louis	94
Pittsburg Coal	35 1-4
Pressed Steel Car	34 1-2
Pullman Palace Car	158
Railway Steel Spring	31 1-2
Reading	141
Republica Steel	30
Republic Steel pfd	90
Rock Island Co.	29 7-8
Rock Island Co. pfd	62
St. Louis & San Fran. 2nd pfd	38 3-8
St. Louis Southwestern	24 1-4
St. Louis Southwestern pfd	57
Sloss Sheffield Steel & Iron	49
Southern Pacific	113 3-8
Southern Railway	22 1-2
Southern Railway pfd	52 1-8
Tennessee Copper	24
Texas & Pacific	26
Toledo, St. Louis & West	22
Toledo, St. Louis & West pfd	49
Union Pacific	165
Union Pacific pfd	85
United States Realty	60
United States Rubber	34 1-2
United States Steel	69 3-4
United States Steel pfd	115 1-4
Utah Copper	45 7-8
Virginia Carolina Chemical	58 1-4
Wabash	17
Wabash pfd	34 1-4
Western Maryland	43 3-4
Westinghouse Electric	60
Western Union	63
Wheeling & Lake Erie	5 1-4

THE GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, Aug. 9.—It was a nervous market in wheat all day with prices back and forth over a narrow range. Movement of loaded cars to elevator here was ceaseless and weighed on the market but on the other hand cables news was bullish and there appeared some chance for export sales. The close showed a net decline of 3-8 to 1-2c for the September option 1-4c less for December with May at last night's level. A final gain of a shade to 3-8 was the record in corn. Oats finished unchanged to 1-8c lower and provisions irregular 10 to 12 1-2 up to 10 off.

Wheat—No. 1 red 1.01 1-2 to 1.02 1-2; No. 2 red 1.01 1-4 to 1.02 1-2; No. 3 red 99 to 1.01 1-2; No. 1 hard 1.01 1-2 to 1.07 1-2; No. 2 hard 1.01 to 1.07 1-2; No. 3 hard 99 to 1.01 1-2; No. 1 northern 1.22; No. 2 northern old 1.16; No. 2 spring old 1.10 to 1.12; No. 2 spring new 1.05 to 1.08; No. 3 spring 1.03 to 1.05; durum 90 to 97.

Corn—No. 2, 65 1-2; No. 2 yellow 65; No. 3, 63 3-4 to 64 1-4; No. 3 white 64 to 64 3-4; No. 3 yellow 64 to 64 1-2; No. 4, 63 to 63 1-2; No. 4 white 63 1-2 to 64 1-2; No. 4 yellow 63 to 64.

Oats—No. 2 new 34 3-4 to 35; No. 2 white new 37 to 37 1-4; No. 2 white 38; No. 3 new 34 3-4; No. 3 white new 36 to 36 3-4; No. 3 white 36 3-4 to 37; No. 4 white new 35 to 36 1-4; No. 4 white 36 3-4 to 37; standard new 36 3-4 to 37 1-4; standard old 38 to 39.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
Sept	1 01⅝	1 01⅝	1 00⅝	1 01¼
Dec.	1 04⅝	1 04½	1 03⅝	1 04⅜
May	1 08¼	1 09⅛	1 08½	1 09
Corn—				
Sept	63½	63⅝	63¼	63⅜
Dec.	60⅝	60⅝	59¾	60¼
May	62¼	62⅝	61¾	62½
Oats—				
Sept	36⅜	36⅞	36¼	36⅜
May	41	41¼	40⅜	41
Mess Pork, per bbl.				
Sept	21 05	21 12	20 90	21 05
Oct.	20 40	20 50	20 30	20 50
Jan.	17 85	18 10	17 75	18 10
Lard, per 100 lbs.				
Sept	11 45	11 55	11 42½	11 55
Oct.	11 37½	11 47½	11 35	11 47½
Nov.	11 10	11 20	11 10	11 20
Jan.	10 35	10 42½	10 32	10 42½
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.				
Sept	11 30	11 42½	11 30	11 42½
Oct.	10 80	10 95	10 80	10 95
Jan.	9 45	9 47½	9 35	9 47½

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, Aug. 10.—Money on call easy, 1 1-2 to 2 1-2; ruling rate, 1 3-4; closing bid, 1 1-2; offered at 1 3-4. Time loans easier; 60 days, 2 3-4 to 3 per cent, and 90 days 3 1-2 to 3 3-4. Six months, 4 3-4 to 4 7-8. Some loans at 4 3-4. Prime mercantile paper closed 5 12 to 6 per cent. Sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.83.50 to 4.83.60 for 60-day bills, and at 4.85.60 for demand. Commercial bills 4.83 to 4.83 1-2. Bar silver, 52 7-8. Mexican dollars, 44.

NAVAL STORES.

New York, Aug. 10.—Rosin steady, turpentine quiet.

Savannah, Ga., Aug. 10.—Turpentine firm 68 1-4 to 68 1-2; sales 502; receipts 932; shipments 18; stock 1,588. Rosin firm; receipts 2,971; shipments 116; stocks 67,799; sales 1,967. Quote: A, B, C, 5.20; D, 5.30; F, 5.35 to 5.40; F, 5.50 to 5.60; G, and H, 5.50 to 5.60; I, 5.55; K, 5.60; M, 5.65 to 5.75; N, 5.70 to 6.00; WG, 5.80 to 6.10; WW, 6.45.

Charleston, S. C., Aug. 10.—Turpentine firm 68 to 68 1-4. Rosin firm. Quote: A, B, C, 5.05 to 5.07 1-2; D, 5.15 to 5.17 1-2; E, 5.27 1-2; F, 5.32 1-2 to 5.35; G, 5.40; H, 5.45; I, 5.50 to 5.52 1-2; K, 5.60; M, 5.70; N, 5.80; WG, 6.10; WW, 6.45.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, Aug. 10.—The market for the day was steady with cotton goods prices held firm. There is a better demand from retailers for silks for immediate delivery. Lines of percales offered at low figures at the opening of the season have been partially withdrawn as mills have sold as far as they care to go at the low price.

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ALLISON SENTENCED.

Brutal Murderer at Asheville Sentenced to Electrocution in February.

Asheville, N. C., Aug. 10.—James B. Allison was sentenced to death by Judge Council in the Superior Court this morning for the murder of Floyd McGee, July 5th. The court decreed that Allison should be electrocuted in the death chamber of the State penitentiary at Raleigh, February 24th, 1911. The usual motions for a new trial were made by counsel for the accused and were overruled. Allison appeared to be the calmest man in the court room when sentence was pronounced.

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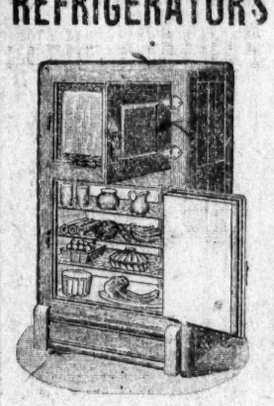

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THE WEATHER

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., Aug. 11, 1910.

Meterological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M. Wednesday, August 10:

Temperature at 8 A. M. 76 degrees; 8 P. M. 80 degrees; maximum 88 degrees; minimum 69 degrees; mean 78 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .0; for the month, .42 inch.

Stage of water in the Cape Fear at Fayetteville at 8 A. M. Tuesday 10.6 feet.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Fair in West, local showers in East portion, Thursday warmer in northeast portion. Friday fair, light west winds, becoming variable.

Port Calendar—August 10.

Sun Rises.....5:30 A. M.
Sun Sets.....7:04 P. M.
Day's Length.....13 hrs. 34 min.
High water at Southport 1:01 A. M.
High water at Wilmington 4:01 A. M.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

W. B. Cooper—Florida Mullets.
Str. Wilmington—Special Notice.
A. David Co.—Honest Clearing Sale.
J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co.—Germ Theory

Business Locals.

Lost—Pin at Beach.
Lost—B. & L. Pass Book.
Lost—Lady's Lace Collar.
Lost—Lady's Gold Watch.
For Rent—Furnished Rooms.
F. J. Gooding—Reward Offered.
Bradstreet System—If You Want.
C. W. Polvogt Co.—Salesladies Wanted.
Carolina Portland Cement Co.—Fertilizer Dealers.

ROBESON PRIMARIES.

Executive Committee in Session—Farmers' Union Holds Meeting.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Lumberton, N. C., Aug. 10.—Pursuant to call of Chairman Geo. B. McLeod, the county Democratic executive committee, met here today, all precincts being represented but two. The meeting lasted for several hours and is reported to have been one of harmony and good feeling. The primary system was adopted for selecting candidates for the Legislature and different county offices, and judges of election for conducting the primaries were selected. The date was left open pending the action of the committee appointed to investigate the Congressional muddle. If that committee should decide on a primary to settle that trouble, then the county primary would be held at same time as the Congressional primary.

The Farmers' Union held a meeting today which was largely attended. State President Alexander was to address the Union but failed to arrive. He will however address the union picnic at Saddle Tree tomorrow. Little was given out for publication but it was learned that a resolution was passed asking the Board of Education to supplement a private fund to aid in demonstration work in Robeson county. A resolution was also adopted asking the Board of Education to give County Superintendent Poole a stenographer and a clerk in his office so he could have more time to visit the schools. There are 180 public schools in the county and the work of visiting all these schools in addition to the office work is more than one man can do justice to.

RICE MURDER SENSATION.

Gun Expert Declares Weapon Was Not Made in This Country.

Cleveland, Ohio, Aug. 10. — Every theory in regard to the murder of William L. Rice, the millionaire attorney whose body, shot, clubbed and slashed, was found in the roadway near his home on Friday night, has been upset by the testimony offered today at the coroner's inquest.

The first sensation came when George Freeman, a gun expert, testified that the bullet taken from the dead man's head had not come from a 32-caliber revolver, as had been supposed, but belonged to either a Winchester rifle or a Russian gallery gun. The bullet weighed 115 grains and, according to Mr. Freeman, could not belong to a revolver of any make known in this country.

A little later in his examination Mr. Freeman declared that Mr. Rice must have been shot while his murderer was standing some distance from him. According to the expert, if the bullet had been fired at short range, it could not fail to have passed clear through the skull, instead of lodging in it, as it had done.

This complicates still further the mystery of Mr. Rice's death. It leaves unaccounted for the bruise which was found on his head and the knife slashes across his hand. At the same time it has given the police an obvious clue which they think may bring results. A search will be begun immediately in Cleveland, New York, Chicago and other cities, in the hope of tracing a sale of such a firearm as would carry the bullet found in Mr. Rice's head.

Apart from the testimony of Mr. Freeman, nothing was learned at today's inquiry which could throw any new light on the murder.

TEXANS ENDORSED TAFT.

Republicans Refrained From Mention of ex-President Roosevelt.

Dallas, Texas, Aug. 10.—Republicans of Texas today adopted resolutions endorsing the administration of President Taft, and refrained from making any mention of former President Roosevelt, either in their platform or resolutions. The following nominations for State offices were made:

For Governor, J. O. Terrell, of San Antonio; for Lieutenant Governor, C. W. Ogden, of San Antonio; for Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, J. G. McGrady, of Fannin county.

A resolution was adopted declaring that State Chairman Cecil A. Lyon shall not recommend for Federal offices any member of a State or county executive committee. Mr. Lyons was unanimously elected State chairman.

The platform deplores what it terms radical legislation hampering the growth of the State, and bespeaks a more liberal policy towards outside capital.

Have you ever been to Blowing Rock, Linvile, Grandfather Mountain? See the Seaboard Agent for full particulars as to the Mountain Special. **

CHARGES OF GORE PROVE FRUITFUL

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too.'

"'Who else have you got?' 'We've got Dr. Wright the Choctaw delegate. He's in on it, too. Oh, we've got some more.'

"Then he wanted me to go to Senator Gore and get him to withdraw his opposition to the contracts. He said if they could stop Gore's opposition there would not be any trouble to get the thing through. I asked him if he was sure he would get his share from McMurray. He answered he was sure of it, or that he would make sure of it, for McMurray had double-crossed him before and he did not intend to allow him to do it again."

"Is Adams a man whose word you would take as gospel?" asked Chairman Burke.

"No, not as gospel, but what he said this time was said in such a way as to be believed."

"When he said he had McGuire in on it, and McGuire was to get his share, did you take him seriously?"

"Yes, and he said he had some others."

"Do you know of any one in any of the departments in Washington who is interested in the contracts?"

"No I do not."

In his testimony Carter said he had been convinced that President Roosevelt during the pendency of the old contracts was strongly opposed to the 10 per cent. fee.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

State Association in Session at Charlotte—Preliminaries.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Charlotte, N. C., Aug. 10.—The second annual convention of the State Association of County Commissioners of North Carolina convened here this morning, President C. E. Foy, of Craven, presiding. The morning session was largely given over to preliminaries, the invocation being by Rev. Thos. Green, the only preacher-Commissioner in the body. The welcome address was made by Plummer Stewart, Esq., mayor pro tem. of Charlotte, who said among other things that there was no more potent influence for good in the State than the Association of County Commissioners. The response was by Chairman D. McEachern, of the New Hanover Board of Commissioners. His address was bright, witty and befitting the occasion in every respect. Speaking of Charlotte and its greatness, he brought down the house when he said that it was a pleasure for him to find acres and acres of cotton "growing right here in your city limits of Charlotte."

Secretary G. V. Richardson could not be present at the meeting and his report was read by Commissioner Burrass, of Martin. The report shows that since last meeting membership fees have been received from Columbus, Wilson, Gaston, Wayne, Montgomery, Randolph, Bladen, Forsyth, Onslow, Edgecombe, Hyde, Nash, Rowan, Jones, Gates, Robeson, Bertie, Northampton, Cleveland, McDowell, Caswell, Buncombe, Surry, Durham, Duplin, Beaufort, making a total of 28 counties.

Among the commissioners present were Messrs. J. W. Carter, Robeson; A. R. McEachern, Robeson, and Geo. J. Moore, Pender.

The afternoon session was taken up with five-minute talks on live subjects by members, closing with a smoker at Lakewood Park tonight, which followed a trolley ride over the city.

ALDRICH DENIES REPORT

Has Not Reconsidered His Determination Not to Run For Senate.

Boston, Mass., Aug. 10.—The conference at Warwick, R. I., on Sunday last attended by Senator Nelson W. Aldrich, Senator W. Murray Crane, of Massachusetts, and Secretary to the President Norton became known in higher political circles today. It is said that Senator Aldrich definitely told his callers that the reports that he had reconsidered his determination not to run for the Senate are entirely without foundation.

It was learned today that Senator Aldrich has decided to make a public reply to the charges of Senator Bristow, of Kansas, regarding the rubber schedule of the Payne-Aldrich tariff bill. The Senator has told his friends, who have urged him to reply to the charges, that in his political life he has never felt called upon to make statements in response to "malicious or unjust attacks." In this instance, coming on the even of an important Congressional campaign, however, it is said, that the Senator has decided that it is due the Republican party that a reply should be made to the Bristow charges. He is said to feel this especially keenly as he is retiring from public life himself. The final determination was reached at the conference of Sunday.

With regard to the charges as to the cotton schedule, Senator Aldrich will make a speech during the coming campaign in the "enemies country" out West, in which he will defend the new tariff law as a whole, and will make a full statement regarding the cotton schedule.

Senator Aldrich has been at work on his statement in reply to the rubber charges for several days.

Bluefields, W. Va., Aug. 10.—By a vote of 3 to 2 the State Supreme Court at Charleston today decided that Bluefield shall have saloons. The case went up on appeal from the county court which refused to grant saloon licenses, although the city authorities had granted itself.

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GAYNOR CHEERFUL HAS EVEN CHANCE

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marks. The Mayor has been drastic in his police betterment crusade, and he has many enemies on the force.

Policeman Joseph P. Hock, of the Madison street station, whose number—7846—is the number given by the girls, was suspended from duty tonight, pending investigation. Hock has been on the force three years.

Gallagher's statement, made this afternoon, was his first frank talk concerning the crime. "While I will not say that I am sorry," he said, "I now hope that the Mayor gets well. But I wanted to teach high officials to regard the rights of subordinates. I consider that I had to shoot the Mayor as a lesson to the country. I did what I did for personal principles and was not prompted by any anarchistis belief.

"I am sorry that Commissioner Edwards was wounded, for I was aiming only at the Mayor. But even the thought of killing him had not been long in my mind. In fact I reached no decision until I bought a newspaper yesterday morning. The paper said that Gaynor was going to sail for a vacation. That made me angry—to think that he should take a vacation in Europe while I did not even have a chance to work, much less get a vacation. So I hurried over the Twenty-third street ferry and inquired my way to the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse.

"My wrongs had proved more than I thought I could bear. Over and over I sized up my hard station in life and contrasted it with that of some other men—of Mayor Gaynor, who had wronged me in particular. At length I determined to seek the revenge which I concluded should be justly mine.

"Had I heard of President McKinley's assassination? Of course and I believed assassination is sometimes right.

"I had carried the gun for nine years. I feared the enemies I had made by writing when I was trying to reform the dock department."

There is marked determination to make Gallagher an example of among the New Jersey authorities "quick Jersey justice," but it was definitely determined tonight not to lay his case before the grand jury pending the outcome of the Mayor's injuries. If the Mayor recovers, Gallagher will be quickly tried charged with assault with intent to kill for which he may receive a maximum sentence of 20 years. If his victim should die the charge will be murder in the first degree, the penalty for which is death.

For a man who so narrowly escaped death by an assassin's bullet Mayor Gaynor spent a cheerful day. With the ever-present possibility of blood poisoning the anxiety of those near his bedside remains tense, but every bulletin of the day concerning his condition was optimistic in tone. He conversed cheerfully with those who saw him and pleaded with his wife and his physicians to allow him a slice or two of bacon, for which he has great fondness.

John Purvy Mitchell, acting Mayor, who visited the sick room today gave one of the best descriptions yet obtained of the Mayor's condition, at least in Mitchell's opinion.

"While it would be extreme," he said, "to say that the Mayor is out of danger, I regard his recovery, from what I have learned, as assured. He talks as plainly almost as any one although he has a slight hoarseness. There is a sort of rattle in his throat and he keeps putting his hand to his throat as if irritation existed there. In the course of our talk I remarked that the shooting was one of the most surprising of incidents. The Mayor answered: 'Don't lets talk about it. I don't like to talk about it. We have to take what comes to us. I am satisfied.'"

New York, Aug. 10.—At 1:30 o'clock this morning Mayor Gaynor's condition was unchanged. He was asleep.

BARONESS TO WED SOON.

Morganatic Wife of Late Belgian King to Wed Merchant.

Paris, Aug. 10.—Baroness Vaughan, who was reported to have been the morganatic wife of the late King Leopold, of Belgium, has announced her approaching marriage with Emmanuel Durieux, a retired merchant living at Neuilly-Sur-Seine. It is stated that Durieux has been director of Baroness Vaughan's financial affairs.

Since her dramatic flight from Belgium on the death of King Leopold, which closed her regal career, the baroness, endowed with an immense fortune, bestowed upon her by the king, has been living sumptuously, although in the greatest privacy, in the Chateau Balincourt at Arronville. The townspeople have been amazed by the publication of the bans of the marriage, Baroness Vaughan's name being given as Blanche Zelia Josephine Delacroix.

The date of the marriage is not known, and the staff of domestics guarding the high-walled chateau declare that their mistress is at the seashore. Baroness Vaughan is 27 years of age, while Durieux is 50. The penniless sisters of the baroness, who are living in Paris, are stupefied at the news and express themselves as amazed that she would marry so soon after the death of the king. Although she is said to be possessed of many millions she has turned a deaf ear to all their appeals, and now they consider that their last hope has vanished.

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The New Bonds

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THE SOUTHERN NATIONAL BANK

TICKLED BY LICENSE.

Clerk Helped Many Runaway Couples, Surprised by Daughter.

Jeffersonville, Ind., Aug. 9.—George W. Badger, who issued hundreds of marriage licenses to runaway couples when he was clerk of the Clark county court, now knows what it is to have one's own daughter elope.

He was taking a nap when he felt something tickle his face, awakening him. When he opened his eyes he recognized the paper with which his daughter was tickling him as a marriage license and when he saw Garner Lutz, the young brigegroom standing nearby, he quickly realized that his daughter had stolen a march on him. He took it good naturedly however, and laughingly asked: "Why didn't you say so sooner?"

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FANCY PEACHES—See me today for new peaches, apples and all kinds of vegetables, fruits, etc. Boiled and raw ham, bacon and North Carolina hams. J. W. Batson. Phone 72. au 10 tf

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Washington, Aug. 3.—According to information received here, Oklahoma banks are finding the bank guarantee plan unsatisfactory and a number are now changing back to the national system. In all about 150 national banks in Oklahoma adopted the bank guarantee plan when it was started, so that it will take a good deal of time to complete the transfer of these institutions back again to the national system should all of them determine to return to their old allegiance. One bank has sent a circular characterizing the State Guarantee Law as bundesome without adding anything to the stability of the bank. au 7 tf

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